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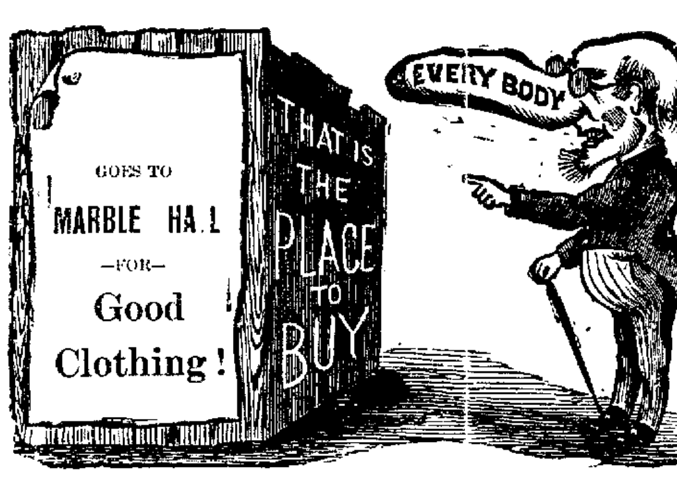
New and Nobby!



J. R. RACE & CO.

Are in receipt of their Spring Stock of

Cassimeres AND Piece Goods!

which will be made up to order in the Latest Styles and fits guaranteed. We never had a finer line of piece goods in stock than now.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' SUITS,

Of every grade and price, suitable for spring wear. Also

MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

OF ALL KINDS.

Fine Line of New Ties at 50 Cents.

Come and look at our stock and prices.

J. R. RACE & CO.

March 19, 1883—d&wtf

!! A NEW ENTERPRISE !!

Long experience has satisfied us of the necessity in Decatur for

AN EXCLUSIVELY PAINT AND ARTIST'S STORE,

Stock being Selected and Handled by Practical Workmen.

We respectfully announce to the TRADES, and PUBLIC GENERALLY, that we have opened on EAST WILLIAM STREET, immediately EAST OF THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE, an extensive assortment of materials suitable for

HOUSE AND CARRIAGE PAINTERS,

Such as—Leads, Oils, Putty, Turpentine, Varnishes of all kinds, Japan Dryers, Lithogen—Wood Fillers, Brushes of all grades, sizes and quality. Colors: DRY—IN OIL—DISTEMPER—and JAPAN in a word, everything in their line. Also, a full assortment of *ARTISTS' MATERIALS*, viz: Tube Colors—Refined Oils, Canvases, Palettes, Palette Knives, Plaques, Brushes, Pencils, Mahl sticks, Crayons, French Pastel Crayons, assorted in all colors and tints—Japan, Empty Boxes, etc., etc. Ladies and gentlemen artists, please examine the stock.

Our Paint Shop is in the rear of the store, where we are prepared to execute in the latest styles the art Sign Writing, Fancy and Ornamental Work.

We also solicit OUTSIDE WORK, either city or country, from a common barn to the finest of city or country residences. REMEMBER THIS! For some of our friends have reported that we do no *common work*. We keep always first class workmen for all kinds of work.

Apr 5-dtf

MYER & SON.

GEORGE P. BLUME

THE OLD RELIABLE DEALER IN

SEWING MACHINES AND SUPPLIES,

—THE—

DOMESTIC!

WHITE,

—AND—

OTHER MACHINES.

OFFICE—Last door in Opera Block, one door north of my old office, and directly opposite Masonic Temple.

Nov. 21, 1882—d&wtf

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The grain firm of W. L. Dumont & Co., has this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. L. Dumont retiring from the firm. The business will be continued at the old stand by C. O. Piatt & Co., who will settle the business of the late firm.

W. L. DUMONT.
C. O. PIATT.

The undersigned will continue the grain commission business as W. L. Dumont & Co., with office at No. 20 Prairie street.

March 26—d&wlw W. L. DUMONT.

Administrator's Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
COUNTY OF MACON, }

In the matter of the Estate of LUCY GUM, deceased.

TO the heirs and legatees of the said Lucy Gum, deceased, and to all to whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that I will appear before the County Court of said county on the 16th day of April, 1883, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and present a final report of my acts and doings in relation to said estate as the administrator thereof, and ask said court for a final discharge as such administrator, at which time and place you may be present if you so desire.

ISAAC S. KAUFMAN,
Administrator with the will annexed.

March 24, 1883—d&wtaplo

W. H. GRINDOL.

Dealer in all kinds of

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MARBLE

finished up by the very best of skilled workmen, in the latest and best style, which will be sold at very low prices. Call and examine his stock, designs and prices before purchasing elsewhere. He will not be undersold.

Shop in the old Masonic building, northwest corner City Park, Decatur, Ill. jan.14—dy

CATARRH

HAY-FEVER

A POSITIVE CURE.

ELY'S

CREAM BALM

FOR

CATARRH AND HAY FEVER.

Agreeable to Use.

UNEQUALED FOR COLD IN THE HEAD, HEADACHE AND DEAFNESS,

or any kind of mucus membranal irritations, inflamed and rough surfaces. A preparation of undoubted merit. Apply by the little finger into the nostrils. It will be absorbed, effectually cleansing the nasal passages of catarrhal virus, causing healthy secretions. It allays inflammation, protects the membranal linings of the head from additional colds, completely heals the sores and restores the sense of taste and smell. Beneficial results are realized by a few applications.

'A Thorough Treatment Will Cure!

Cream Balm has gained an enviable reputation wherever known; displacing all other preparations. Send for circular containing full information and reliable testimonials. By mail, prepaid, 50 cents a package—stamps received. Sold by all wholesale and retail druggists.

ELY'S CREAM BALM CO.,
Owego, N. Y.

☞ For sale by Irwin & Priest, W. O. Armstrong, Henry Smith, C. H. Walters, Hubbard & Swearingen, Dr. A. J. Stoner, H. B. Cole and Swearingen & Shilling.

Feb. 20—1eod&wly

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. Feb3-d&w

For the purpose of disposing of

ONE HALF OUR LOTS

—ON—

Water, Durfee, Bradford and Marietta Sts.,

And having them improved during the coming season, we are making

Special Offer of Reduced Prices and Easy Terms, good for 90 Days from this date.

WARREN & DURFEE.

March 9, 1883—dtf

THE COMING DEMOCRACY.

An Attractive and Suggestive Article from an English Radical.

Mr. Smalley, writing from London to The New York Tribune, says: Mr. Labouchere contributes to the March Fortnightly an article entitled "A Democrat on the Coming Democracy," which students of English politics cannot afford to neglect. Mr. Labouchere, it is true, is not a recognized exponent of Radicalism, but he is a singularly frank person, and his views may be taken as shared by a few of his colleagues in the house, some of whom are less able and all less outspoken. His sympathy with Mr. Chamberlain, for example, is close, and he looks to Mr. Chamberlain as a leader. Mr. Labouchere's programme would startle most of the reasonable politicians who call themselves Liberal; not less from the way in which it is urged than from its extent. The earlier items will not strike you in America as subversive of society, revolutionary though they are. Equal election districts, payment of election expenses and of members by the state, biennial parliaments, abolition of the house of lords as a legislative body—these, preceded by the adoption of an extended franchise, are the more immediate objects Mr. Labouchere proposes to himself. They are, however, only preliminary—only a pulling of the political machine into rapid working order. With the lords out of his way and a Democratic house of commons, Mr. Labouchere would proceed to abolish the civil list and put the queen (whom he permits to remain on the throne as ornamental figure-head) on a salary of $50,000 a year like the president of the United States. He would disestablish and disendow the church of England "at once," and devote the $15,000,000 a year to be got from its revenues to educational purposes. He would settle the land question by making occupiers owners. He would limit the number of acres a man may own, and of pounds sterling he may accumulate. Taxation would be based on the "excellent principle" that those ought to pay who can best afford it. Customs and excise are to be abolished, and the burdens now laid on "industry" to be sustained by help of a progressive income tax and progressive succession duty—rising to 50 per cent. And so on and so on. These may do for samples.

Mr. Labouchere does not expect help from the Moderate Liberals in this work. He proposes to reconstruct the party by turning out the Whigs, and calculates that when he and his friends have superseded them, the bulk of the organization, who are "mere waiters on Providence," will cheerfully follow the new lead. The Whigs are the fons et origo of all evil. They accept the part of "traitors" in the Liberal camp for the sake of office and profit. Whigs, Conservatives and Moderate Liberals are, indeed, actuated by the paltry ambition of appending right honorable to their names, and by lust of mere spoils. Heretofore right honorable has been thought to be not an appendix but a prefix. "We," on the contrary, we virtuous but slightly pharisaical Radicals, "we look steadily to the triumph of our principles."

An Essay on Roller Skates.

Laramie Boomerang.

The roller skate is a wayward little quadruped. It is as frolicsome and more innocent looking than a lamb, but for interfering with one's upright attitude in the community, it is, perhaps the best machine that has appeared in Salt Lake city.

One's first feeling on standing up on a pair of roller skates is an uncontrollable tendency to come from together. One foot may start out toward Idaho while the other as promptly strikes out for Arizona. The legs do not stand by each other as legs related by blood should do, but each shows a disposition to set up in business alone, and leave you to take care of yourself as best you may. The awkwardness of this arrangement is apparent. While they are settling up independently, there is nothing for you to do but to sit down and await future developments. And you have to sit down, too, for it, and without having devoted as much thought to it as you might have done had you been consulted in the matter.

One of the most noticeable things at a skating-rink is the strong attraction between the human body and the floor of the rink. If the human body had been coming through space for days and days, the rate of a million miles a second, without stopping at eating stations, and not excepting Sundays, when it strikes the floor, we could understand why it struck the floor with so much violence. As it is, however, the thing is inexplicable.

There are different kinds of falls in vogue at the rink. There are the rear falls and front falls, the Cardinal Wolsey fall, the fall one across the other, three in a pile, and so on. There are some of the falls that I would like to be excused from describing. The rear fall is the favorite. It is more frequently utilized than any other. There are two positions in skating, the perpendicular and the horizontal. Advanced skaters prefer the perpendicular, while others affect the horizontal.

Skates are no respecters of persons. They will lay out a minister of the gospel or the mayor of the city as readily as they will a short-coated, one suspender boy, or a giddy girl.

When one of a man's feet starts for Nevada and the other for Colorado, that does not separate him from the floor or break up his fun. Other proportions of his body will take the place his feet have just vacated with a promptness that is surprising. And he will find that the fun has just begun—for the people looking on.

The equipments for the rink are a pair of skates, a cushion, and a bottle of liniment.

Wonders in Store for Us.

Demorest's Monthly.

Remarkable as have been the advances in the uses to which electricity can be put, according to Prof. Melville Bell the future has even greater surprises in store for us. He thinks the time will come when electrical and telphonic messages will be sent without wires. The message bearer will be the rays of the sunlight. The so-called electrical action is simply vibrations in the air, which produce certain results at distant points; and Prof. Bell is of opinion that inventive genius will yet enable us to make use of imponderable agents to transmit messages between distant localities. Indeed, there are enthusiasts who now think that we will ultimately be able to communicate with sentient beings in other planets. It has been demonstrated that the materials which compose the heavenly bodies are identical, and it is a fair inference that creatures corresponding to our own race, with the same kind of faculties, people them. If so, we may perhaps have a friendly chat with the inhabitants of Venus and Mars, and probably other worlds in solar systems beyond our own.

A Yum-Yum Story from the French.

Through long nights of fever and days of weary restlessness Ninon watched by her lover's side. Strength returns to the crippled body, but the sorrowful eyes already wear that helpless, vacant expression peculiar to the blind, and the strong right arm is represented only by an empty sleeve.

He is not forbidden to speak now, and one day, as he hears Ninon's footstep by his bedside, and the soft rustle of her dress as she bends over him, he says:

"You are always with me, Ninon, are you not? or do I dream it?"

"I am always with you, Armand."

"What brings you here?"

"Because I love you, dear."

"Love?—but I am a cripple and blind."

"Yes, Armand, your eyes and your right arm you have given to France. Will you give the rest to me?"

"Ninon!" and the left arm, the only one he has, draws her quickly and passionately to his side. Her soft breath plays against his cheek, and as his lips meets hers, she whispers, "Armand, my prince, I love you."

Annoying Things.

"Well, little Jane, what have you learned at school this week?" "O mamma, such a lot of annoying things that I don't want to think of them again; never, never!"

AN ACCOMPLISHED MONKEY.

A Chimpanzee that Blows Its Nose on a Handkerchief.

"Mrs. Rooney," the female chimpanzee at the Zoological garden, Philadelphia, has a very bad cold in her head, and has been taught to use a handkerchief with all the ease and grace of a well bred human being. The other day she and "Pat Rooney," her husband, were as usual attracting a great deal of attention from the holiday visitors to the garden, but of all the varied assortment of tricks and gymnastics with which they favored their audience none created as much merriment as when Mrs. Rooney would sedately produce a small scrap of linen from a corner of the cage and proceed to gracefully blow her nose.

"How did you teach her that trick?" asked a lady of the keeper, who was gazing fondly at his pets from outside the bars.

"Oh, easy enough," was the reply; "she and Pat scarcely need any teaching, for they are so smart that if you simply do something before them once or twice, and hold up a bit of sugar at the same time, they will imitate your actions at once, and in a day or so can be taught a new trick perfectly."

"Do they get along well together?" asked another bystander.

"Yes—very well," said the keeper. "They are about the only pair in the garden that don't squabble together, more or less: in fact, the only pair at all, so far as I know, for even the turtle doves over in the bird-house occasionally peck at each other as fiercely as a couple of game cocks. Still, I'm sorry to say, that Mr. Rooney ain't as polite to his wife as he might be, and if she wasn't blessed with the temper of an angel—if there are any monkey angels—why, sometimes there would be war even in this cage."

He then proceeded to give the chimpanzees their dinner, which consisted of soft boiled rice and sweet potatoes. Mr. Rooney politely waited until his wife was helped ("it took a good while to teach him that," said the keeper, afterward), and then took his own share, which he bolted in the most gluttonous fashion, and then calmly scooped in what was left of his wife's portion. This act of robbery the lady only repaid by a reproving look, and then climbed to a high perch with her handkerchief, and blew her nose violently, after which she laid down and went to sleep, Mr. Rooney doing the same, after carefully arranging himself in a comfortable nest of straw and blankets.

A Wasted Education.

Arkansaw Traveler.

"Jim, it do seem to me dat yer's putting yer edycation ter a mighty po' use. I aint heard a big word from yer yet. I can un'erstan' yer gist as well as I did 'fore yer went ter dat school. Ef a man's edycated I want him to talk so I can't un'erstan' him. Mo an' yer mudder hab been talkin' 'bout dis matter, an' we'se so grieved way down in de flesh. Jim, what's de big word fur grasshopper?"

"Orthopterous insects of the genus gryllus, according to Webster," replied the young man.

"But de tuther day when dem folks was heah yer spoke of a grasshopper jest de same as de ignorantest nigger in de country, and brought shame down on de heads of yer mudder an myself. What's do big word fur goat?"

"Mammiferous quadruped of the genus capra," answered the young man.

"But why didn't yer say so, 'stead of sayin' goat like a nigger, an' bringin' de tingle ob embarrassment to yer fador's face? What did I gin yer dat schoolin' fur—to talk like an uneducated son of a po' white man? Think dat I'se gwine ter keep yer heah in idleness 'lessen yer can relleck credic on de family? Jim, what is de big word for fool?"

"I don't know, sir."

"Yer don't? Den yer ain't 'quainted wid yerself. Yer doan' recognize whar yer stands. Go out dar in de field wid a mule an' identify yerself."

Razors Made for Fighting Purposes.

London Times.

In the days of the late Mr. Roebuck, a Sheffield manufacturer made the remark in his presence that the British soldier shaved himself with a razor which was delivered, in case at 4½d. to 5½d. Mr. Roebuck expressed some incredulity, but the manufacturer whipped one out of his pocket and showed it to the right honorable gentleman, who took possession of it. The chief cause of the present activity in the razor trade is the sudden change in the American demand, which is now all for hollow-backed razors.

Another kind is made not for shaving, but for razor fights. It is very loose in the blade which can be suddenly thrown back and held between the fingers for a dash at the face. This razor is said to be almost entirely used by negroes, and large numbers are sent to the United States. The Sheffield water is said to be essential to the making of good razors. Several years ago a company of razor-grinders who went to America took a barrel of Sheffield water with them, but the barrel of course could not last forever. Whatever the cause, the making, of razors remains a specialty of Sheffield manufacturers, and almost a monopoly.

Increase of Adulterations.

San Francisco Chronicle.

The rapid increase of adulterations shows, at least, the ingenuity of the present generation. There is scarcely anything wearable, eatable or medicinal but what some ingenious individual has invented or studied out some way of imitating, which is palmed off for the genuine. Exposure follows exposure in quick succession, yet new devices, or the continued success of old ones, deceive the people. The latest is an adulteration of honey. Beautiful glass jars are filled with glucose, in the middle of which is placed a piece of honecomb, and parties have made a flourishing business in selling the same for honey. The truth is that when the consumers buy supposed butter, lard, cheese, honey, coffee and many other articles, they have to employ a chemist before they can be sure that they have got a pure article. The only way to prevent this wholesale adulteration is to pass a most stringent law and relentlessly prosecute every adulterator.

It's the Way.

Philadelphia News.

The first thing a city man does when he becomes rich is to buy a farm, move into the country and bankrupt himself trying to raise enough to keep him from starving. A rich country, on the other hand, buys a brownstone front in the city and becomes interested in stocks with a like result.

High Charges.

Philadelphia Times.

It is a great consolation to see a plumber compelled to buy something at a retail drug store.

A Powerful Electric Light.

The light-house at Sidney, New South Wales, has an electric light of over 12,000,000 candle power.

Look Lovely.

Philadelphia Evening News.

The new nickels when nicely gold-plated look lovely in a contribution box.

A gentleman calling one day on the Confederate general, Joe Johnson, at Atlanta, Georgia, said to him, concluding some rather slighting remark concerning Gen. Thomas, "the rock of Chickamauga," "Well, I must admit that he possessed one good quality—he never knew when he was whipped." "I think you hardly do him justice," was the noble reply. "The truth is, Thomas always knew when he wasn't whipped."

Sing, O Sing That Song Again.

How can you when you cough at every breath? Why, get a bottle of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, and you will be answered. It cures colds, coughs, consumption, whooping cough, and all diseases of the lungs, and it will cost you nothing to test it if you call at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store. 3

PLEASE remember that if you wish to buy any Spring or Summer Clothing, our stock offers in *variety, extent, beauty* and *low price* such attractions that cannot be found anywhere.

CHEAP CHARLEY,
Manufacturer of Fine Clothing expressly for Retail Trade.

ALWAYS fresh and home-made—Harry Miller's Caramels, Butter Scotch, double strength Horehound, &c. For sale by all first class dealers. nov9-dtf

HAVE your measures taken at B. Stine's for Wilson Bros.' Shirts. f14dtf

BOYS' SUITS

—THAT—

SUIT THE BOYS.

An Elegant Assortment!

COME AND SEE THEM.

JUST LANDED AT

B. STINE'S,

THE "BOSS CLOTHIER."

March 23, 1883—dtf

FACTS FOR HOUSE-KEEPERS

Syracuse Baking Powder Co.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., Mar. 31, 1882.

GENTLEMEN:—I send you the results of my analysis of the following Baking Powders:

NAME OF POWDER.	Per cent of carbonic acid in powder.	Cubic inches of carbonic acid gas in one ounce of powder.	Per cent of starch in each powder.	Powder that contains ammonia.
TIP TOP	14.49	134.80	None.	
Pearl	10.31	95.30	14.94	Pearl.
Dr. Price's	11.42	106.00	23.43	
Royal	10.79	100.80	28.23	Royal.
Horsford's	10.70	99.00	29.38	
Snow Flake	7.61	70.40	34.60	Snow Flake.

The last five contain, as will be seen, a large percentage of starch. The **TIP TOP** is composed only of pure cream of tartar, bi-carbonate of soda and the white of eggs, and **is the best Baking Powder I have ever examined, in my opinion.** PETER COLLIER, Ph. D.

Strange as it may seem the Pearl, Dr. Price's Cream, Royal, Horsford's and the Snow Flake Baking Powders are **NOT "absolutely pure,"** as represented, but **are adulterated** with common laundry starch, to such an extent that every purchaser of a pound of either of these pays from 7 to 17 cents for about 1-4 pound of starch *(the ordinary cost of which is one cent.)*

THE TIP TOP IS MADE ONLY OF

Pure Grape Cream Tartar, Finest Bi-Carbonate of Soda and the Whites of Eggs.

Try it, and learn the superiority of THE TIP TOP over starch. It requires one-third less, and is one-third stronger than any other Baking Powder made. Manufactured by the SYRACUSE BAKING POWDER CO., Syracuse, N. Y.

For sale by

Sold in Decatur by PETER ULLRICH.

VIENNA BREAD.

The Genuine Article manufactured every day at

A. O. Brewer's Bakery

25 North Main Street.

I have in my employ a first-class baker, who has had long experience in baking all kinds of Fancy Bread, and I have, at large expense, fitted my oven for baking the justly celebrated Vienna Bread.

Try this Vienna Bread and you will say it is the finest you have ever eaten.

My Wheat and Rye Bread and Boston Brown Bread is still up to its excellent standard.

Cakes for parties and festivals furnished, and a fresh stock always on hand for family use.

Thanking the public for their increased patronage, I assure all my friends that I shall do everything in my power to merit their continued favor.

A. O. BREWER.

☞ Breakfast Buns fresh every morning, and Vienna Rolls and Doughnuts fresh every afternoon. feb4-dtf

JAMES PYLE'S

PEARLINE

THE BEST THING KNOWN FOR

Washing and Bleaching

In Hard or Soft, Hot or Cold Water.

SAVES LABOR, TIME and SOAP AMAZINGLY, and gives universal satisfaction. No family, rich or poor, should be without it.

Sold by all Grocers. **BEWARE** of imitations well designed to mislead. **PEARLINE** is the **ONLY SAFE** labor-saving compound, and always bears the above symbol, and name of

JAMES PYLE, NEW YORK.

Aug. 25-d&weowy.

They Must Have It.

What? A writing machine. Who? All business men. Why? Because it is needed in their business, and they cannot do without one if they consult their own interests. The Caligraph is the only perfect writing machine and J. H. Durfee is the agent. References—J. T. Montgomery, Morehouse & Wells, R. Eugene Pratt, Warren & Durfee, Mills Bros. and the machine. Sample machine at circuit clerk's office. March 9-dtf

L. L. FERRISS & Co. are in receipt of a large spring stock of men's fine shoes—Lilly, Brackett & Co.'s and Burt & Mears' manufacture—also Harry Gray's ladies' French kid, the finest in the land. m'ch10 d&w2mos

Farms for Sale!

E. O. SMITH

Is desirous of selling a

PORTION of HIS FARMING LAND

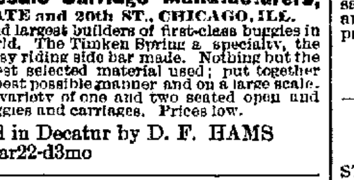
situated in Macon county, near Dalton and Hervey City. For particulars inquire of

GEO. W. BRIGHT,
DECATUR NATIONAL BANK,

or O. L. KENDAL, Dalton City, who will show parties the land.

May 13, 1882—d&wtf

ABBOTT BUGGY COMPANY,



Wholesale Carriage Manufacturers,

STATE and 20th ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

Second largest builders of first-class buggies in the world. The Timken Spring a specialty, the only easy riding side bar made. Nothing but the very best selected material used; put together in the best possible manner and on a large scale. Every variety of one and two seated open and top buggies and carriages. Prices low.

Sold in Decatur by D. F. HAMS

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of MOSES BROWN, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Moses Brown, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of April, A. D. 1883, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., March 1, A. D. 1882.

JOSEPH BROWN, Administrator.

March 1-d3w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

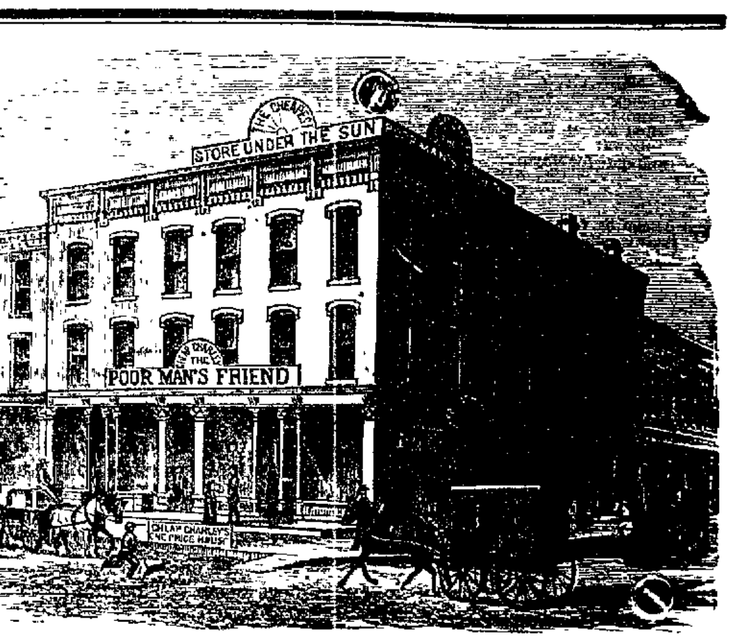
By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William H. Robinson and against James Connor and Mary Connor, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. eight (8), in block No. eleven (11), in the South Addition to the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said James Connor and Mary Connor, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1883, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 22d day of March, A. D. 1883.

WM. W. FOSTER,
Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

March 22-d3w

$66 a week in your own town. Terms $5 and outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb3-d&wly



Spring Season 1883.

Winter is passed once more; snow, ice and sleet are gone, and so is our Stock of Winter Goods; and as the bright rays of the Spring sun shines upon us and gladden our hearts with the forebodings of a fine Summer, and prepare the treasures of garden, field and forest for a Spring opening, so they remind us to advise our friends of

OUR SPRING OPENING.

We have made good use of the past month to prepare a Stock of **CLOTHING**, which for STYLE, PATTERNS and LOW PRICES, surpasses anything ever before accomplished by us, which means simply that its *equal* has never before been offered by anybody, and that we *defy any one* to offer—in fact, not by sensational worthless advertising—anything near like it.

NEXT TO THE CHOICEST IN THE LAND FOR YOUNG MEN, we have some SPECIALTIES which will create a little circus among our friends and with some who are not our friends. Come and see what is going on.

"Cheap Charley."

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing.

Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear,

Cor. East Main & Water Sts

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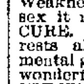
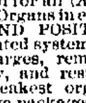
Factory—Chicago, Illinois.

A CURE GUARANTEED IN ALL CASES.
For Old and Young, Male and Female.





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Jan. 1883—o&wly.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the May Term, A. D. 1883, of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois.

Gaar Scott & Co. and The Johnson Harvester Company vs. Abner B. Bacon, George P. Bacon, John G. Shea, Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine. Creditor's Bill—In Chancery.

NOTICE is hereby given to the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine, defendants above named, that the said complainants heretofore, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1881, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county their certain bill of complaint wherein Abner B. Bacon, George P. Bacon and John G. Shea were parties defendant, and that by leave of the court, first had and obtained, the complainants on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1883, filed their certain supplemental bill in said cause by which said supplemental bill the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine are also made parties defendant to said cause, and affidavit of the non-residence of the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court and summons having issued out of chancery to the sheriff of said county against the said Richard T Paine and Julia Paine and been returned by the sheriff not found, you, the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine, are hereby notified that unless you personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1883, and plead, answer or demur to said original and supplemental bills, the same will be taken as confessed against you and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Complainants.

April 2, 1883—d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County. }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1883

Sarah A. Agen vs. Monethan Agen—Divorce.

NOTICE is hereby given to the said defendant that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1883, as is by law required; which suit is now pending in said court.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court.

H. PASCO, Solicitor for Complainant.

Decatur, March 3, 1883-d4w

NOTICE TO OWNERS.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
County of Macon, }

To Dennis O'Brien, Thomas W. Shastid, Just S. Fombelle, Gabriel L. Fombelle, Samuel Cooper and Elizabeth Cooper, (guardian of said Samuel Cooper):

YOU and each of you are hereby notified that a jury has been called to meet at my office in Oreana, in the Township of Whitmore, County and State aforesaid, on the Fifth Day of April, A. D. 1883, at eight o'clock A. M., for the purpose of assessing damages in the matter of the Drainage Commissioners of Stevens Creek Special Drainage District, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, against you, when and where you can appear and assert your rights in the premises if you desire.

C. H. GARVER,
March 22, 1883—d2w Justice of the Peace

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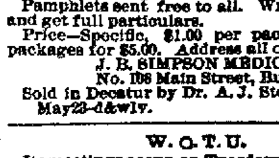

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The Daily Republican.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 9, 1883.

S. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri'trs.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

Republican City Convention.

The Republican voters of the several wards of the City of Decatur are requested to send delegates to a convention to be held at the Court House, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1883,

at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various city offices to be voted for at the ensuing April election, as follows:

One candidate for Mayor.
" " " City Attorney.
" " " " Clerk.
" " " " Treasurer.

The delegates from the several wards to select their candidate for alderman.

The representation will be as follows:

First Ward,	14	delegates.
Second "	13	"
Third "	13	"
Fourth "	11	"
Fifth "	9	"

The primary meetings in the several districts will be held at 7:30 P. M., on Tuesday, April 10th, at the following places:

First Ward, at	Neptune Hose House.	
Second " "	City Council Chamber.	
Third " "	Firemen's Hall.	
Fourth " "	Sheriff's Office.	
Fifth " "	Eldorado Hose House.	

K. HARWOOD, Chairman 1st Ward.
J. A. BARNES, " 2d "
A. T. HILL, " 3rd "
ED. C. BASSEY, " 4th "
JOHN A. BROWN, " 5th "

Don't forget the primaries to morrow night.

THERE seems to be a good deal of mysterious caucusing among the Democrats to-day. There's something in the wind.

GREENVILLE, Texas, was the scene of a hotel horror at an early hour Saturday morning. The walls of the Ende House, a three story brick building, caved in, burying the inmates in the ruins. Shortly afterwards the debris took fire and the maimed and wounded, whom it was impossible to extricate, were roasted in the flames. Fifteen persons are known to have perished. The direct cause of the terrible occurrence is criminal negligence. The walls were too slight to bear the strain imposed on them, and of this fact most of the people of the town were cognizant.

THE proposition to run a Republican ticket at the municipal election next week is not based merely upon partisan prejudice, nor yet upon sentimental grounds, but upon principles which appeal to the business interests of the people, and which any thoughtful man can understand. It is not because any one believes that no Democrat is fit to sit in the council or preside over its deliberations, but because the Republican party being in the majority has more at stake in the way of future prospects, and consequently more to lose through the effects of a defective or inefficient administration of municipal affairs. It is always safest to entrust the conduct of local affairs to the party which can be most easily punished for its misdeeds, and the party in the majority is almost certain to exercise its better judgment, for fear of the consequences that are sure to follow a different course, while the party that goes in by a mere scratch is apt to think that there is no harm in making hay while the sun shines, since it is certain that it cannot retain power but for a single term. The Republicans are in the majority in Decatur, and they ought to control its municipal affairs and be held to a strict accountability therefor.

A DEMOCRATIC journal remarks with a wise air that "in 1884 the people will know a great deal more about the tariff question than they did in 1880." But they learned a good many things in the campaign of 1880. General Hancock learned a tariff lesson he will not forget during his life. The people are not fools.

ACCORDING to ex-Governor Kirkwood, Governor Sherman, of Iowa, is having the hardest time any Governor of Iowa ever had. "Surely, Governor," Sherman recently said to his sturdy old predecessor, "you must have had a worse time during the war." "O, no," answered Mr. Kirkwood. "Of course I had a hard time; but then every man who dared find fault with me was declared disloyal, while now every barker at your heels can find some one weak and mean enough to sympathize with him."

THE Senator-elect from Nebraska, Mr. Manderson, says of high license: "It is a great blessing to every city and town in contrast with the flood of little petty groggeries which give but little revenue and do harm. Our license fee for each bar-room or saloon is $1,000 in a place like Omaha. In cities it is $1,000 for each license, and in villages $500. In Omaha the saloons have been reduced one-half since the high license went into effect. We get $100,000 from the saloons in Omaha, a great deal more revenue than we obtained when we had twice the present number."

For Sale.

My residence property on South Union street near Macon. Lot 60x192 high and dry. House 1½ story, eight rooms, one pantry, six or seven closets, good dry cellar, good barn and other conveniences. Also two nice lots on West Prairie street, and horse and family buggy.

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Grandmother

Used to say: "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea;" and then they had to dig the Burdock and boil it down in kettles, making a nasty, smelling decoction; now you get all the curative properties put up in a palatable form in BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. Price $1.00; trial size 10 cents. 4

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LAWYER BIGELOW's claim for one-half of the money bestowed by a patriotic people on the wife and baby of Sergeant Mason reminds the Boston *Herald* of a story. In the first place Bigelow's charges for the past and future amount to exactly $500, which is, curiously enough, the sum that Mrs. Mason is known to have saved. Now for the anecdote of Mr. Choate, the great Rufus Choate, of the Boston bar. One of his clerks performed a certain service for a client, and when Mr. Choate asked how much he had received as a fee, the reply was, "Two dollars." "Two dollars!" exclaimed Choate; "why that was not enough. Why didn't you get more?" "I took every penny the man had," was the meek answer. Then Choate ran his hands through his curly locks, and said: "Young man, you did the best you could under the circumstances, and your conduct in the affair has been strictly professional."

MICHAEL DAVITT, one of the Irish reform leaders, sends a letter of good advice from his prison to the Young Ireland Society, in which he denounces the dynamite policy, and declares it would be better to wait twenty years longer rather than to surrender the cause into the hands of Ireland's enemies by the commission of crime. This ought to be apparent to the friends of Ireland in this country, some of whom are resorting to a mode of redress that is revolting to every civilized person who has not become overpowered by feelings of revenge. If the evils that now afflict unhappy Ireland are not remedied until it is done through the agency of the infernal-machine party, her people will wait a long time for the day of their deliverance. It is to be hoped that Mr. Davitt's good advice will not fall on deaf ears.

THE Richmond (Va.) *Dispatch* has permitted local contributors to discuss for some time whether it was Washington, or Marshall, or Jefferson, or Randolph, or some other distinguished Virginian, who said he could not permit a negro to be more polite than himself, and it now thinks the question is settled by a letter from Jefferson's grandson, Col. Jefferson Randolph, quoted by Sarah N. Randolph, his granddaughter, in the "Domestic Life of Thomas Jefferson," in which he writes of Jefferson: "His manners were of that polished school of the colonial government so remarkable in its day—under no circumstances violating any of those minor conventional observances that constitute a well-bred gentleman, courteous and considerate to all persons. On riding out with him when a lad we met a negro, who bowed to us; he returned his bow; I did not. Turning to me he asked, 'Do you permit a negro to be more of a gentleman than yourself?'"

ALL the money in the United States treasury had to be counted in detail recently, before the outgoing treasurer, Mr. Gilfillan, could be discharged from all responsibility, and his successor, Mr. Wyman, could enter upon his trust. The count showed that there were precisely 4 cents more in the treasury than the balances called for. If the Democrats should ever be continuously in power in the government in Washington as long as the Republicans have been—twenty-two years—do you suppose they could make as nice and clean a showing as that?—*Chicago Journal.*

DURING the last nine years the exports of American products to the Hawaiian Islands amount to $13,470,178, while during the same period the exports to French possessions have been only $2,859,704, and to English possessions $8,125,388—that is, Hawaii, owing to the exertions of her little population of Anglo-Saxons and Germans, has used more American goods than the colonies of two of the mightiest powers on earth.

THE wheat crop of Oregon and the territory of Washington at present promises to be the largest ever harvested in the Pacific northwest. Reliable estimates place the exportable surplus for the ensuing season of 1883 at 300,000 tons or 10,000,000 bushels. The increase in acreage in eastern Oregon and Washington will be about 30 per cent., while that of the Willamette Valley will be 15 per cent.

AT a recent sale of the personal effects of the late General Kilpatrick at Deckertown, N. J., the amount realized was sufficient to pay off the mortgage on the real estate and leave a snug sum for the widow and children. The General's old army horse, "Spot," is to remain upon the place as long as he lives, and will be well cared for by the executors.

Revolution.

The threatened revolution in Russia is lost sight of in Decatur and surrounding towns since Ed. C. DeHaven, Abel & Locke's new decorator, put in an appearance, and the revolution Abel & Locke are inaugurating in interior decorating is the all-absorbing topic. For several years past Abel & Locke have been agitating the subject of high art decoration. Too much importance cannot be attached to the proper combination of materials and the blending of colors necessary to produce the most pleasing effects. They have this year secured the services of DeHaven, one of the best recognized artists in high art decorating. With this talent and the array of choice selections from the largest and best manufactures, foreign and domestic, Abel & Locke come before the public with the assurance that it is to the interest of every one to investigate the subject, and they are confident that upon investigation their efforts will be appreciated. 7dawtf

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Mrs. Einstein has now a first-class trimmer from Chicago and work entrusted will be stylish and of the latest designs. Mrs. Dinet comes to us from one of the largest millinery houses of Chicago, which gives gives more advantages than any other trimmer in Decatur. Please call and examine our stock. Our prices are as low as any house in the city.

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Special Dispatches

ANOTHER HOTEL HORROR.

The Guests of a Hotel Buried by its Falling Walls.

Thirteen Victims Burned to Death —Heartrending Appeals for Aid —A Sufferer Suicides.

GREENVILLE, Tex., April 9.—Saturday morning our town was horrified beyond measure by the most terrible calamity ever known in Texas. The Erle Hotel, a three-story brick hotel, fell with a terrible crash that fairly shook the earth. As the multitude of people rushed around it they were terrified to hear the shrieks and cries of the inmates, who were crushed beneath the mass of ruins, with the mad flames rolling above them and coming nearer and nearer, till all sounds were hushed in the sea of fire.

THE KILLED.

Mrs. W. E. Pruit, proprietress, whose pleading for relief from her prison in the ruins melted the hardest hearts.

George Pruitt, a crippled son of the proprietress, was burned while begging for relief which no mortal could give.

Louis Albert, jeweler, was burned to death.

F. D. N. Riley, a contractor, was crushed to death.

Frank Wost, a railroad freight clerk, crushed to death.

R. R. Neal, cotton buyer; manner of death unknown.

Miss Lou Davis, chambermaid, burned to death.

J. E. Ford, telegraph line repairer, crushed to death.

Hill, a mattress-maker, manner of death unknown, and four negro servants, crushed to death.

All the above victims were buried beneath the ruins beyond human aid, some being killed instantly and others being cremated in the surging flames.

The stories told by survivors beggars description. Dr. Turner lay beneath timbers til they burned in twain, releasing him, but not until he was badly burned and mangled. Mr. Denton was imprisoned and would have killed himself to escape burning to death, but a second crash of falling walls released him. One man

CUT HIS THROAT

when he found the flames consuming him. M. D. Pruitt raved like a maniac when he knew of his mother's horrible death, and it required several strong men to save him from plunging headlong into the flames.

A telegram was sent to Sherman for the fire engine, which came at the speed of a mile a minute, arriving at daylight. For six hours it poured a stream of water into the flames, but too late to save any lives.

The cause of the calamity is uncertain. It is thought an explosion of powder in a hardware store, which had caught fire in first story, blew out the west wall, causing the entire building to come down with a crash of death.

The stores of James Armstead, hardware; Gee & Wilson and K. L. Lowenstein, agricultural implements, with some minor buildings, were burned; all partially insured. Business houses were all closed Saturday, and a gloom hangs deep over our city. The railroads acted nobly in clearing their roads for the train bearing the fire engines. They also offer other relief. The telegraph offices are flooded with news going and coming from all sections, and no thought is entertained and no subject discussed but the terrible visitation of fire and death.

JUDGE LYNCH

Foiled in his Attempt to Execute Vengeance on a Murderer and Hog Thief.

ST. LOUIS, April 9.—The case of Mack Marsden, the hog chief, culminated in a lynching, near De Soto, in Jefferson county. Long before Marsden was arrested for stealing hogs he was regarded as a desperate character to be dreaded by every honest man. Two murders that had never been solved were attributed to him. One was that of a man named Vail, who was killed for his money and his cabin fired to conceal the crime. The other was that of Joseph Yerger, who was slain at his own door at Antonia Postoffice, not far from Hillsboro, the county seat.

Protected in his own manner he carried on his stock and hog business in a flourishing way, becoming gradually bolder, until he was arrested in St. Louis with stolen in his possession.

Immediately after Marsden's arrest he was taken to Sandy Creek Bridge, and when accused of having murdered Vail and Yerger, replied: "Well, suppose I did, you can't prove it." Thence he was taken to Hillsboro and kept in jail until Saturday. His defiant answer quoted above spread all over the country. Sandy Bridge is twelve miles west of De Soto, but the people were so thoroughly convinced of his guilt that they came in on horseback and by wagons from a distance of thirty miles. When the trial was called before Judge Chas. T. Rankins yesterday there were fully 500 men in town, and they were about as determined a looking set of fellows as could be found anywhere.

The accused waived an examination and was admitted to bail in the sum of $2,500, his father and uncle, who were in attendance, signing the bond. This having been accomplished, Marsden set out for his home.

At Victoria the pursuing party were joined by about a dozen more men, mounted and heavily armed.

Just after crossing Sandy Creek bridge the Marsden party for the first time deigned to take notice of the pursuers, who kept in sight, but hesitated to attack, in view of the well-armed condition of the others.

A halt was suddenly made, and he and his friends turned around and faced the approaching cavalcade. The latter were taken somewhat by surprise by the abrupt action of the Marsden party, and they likewise came to a standstill. A parley ensued. Marsden demanded to know why he was foiled, and the leaders of the self-constituted vigilance committee called for his surrender. The order meeting with no compliance, they spurred forward. Instantly Marsden and his companions leveled their guns at the mob, whose nerve seemed to suddenly fail them. The scengers fell back. Several wild shots from Marsden and his friends spread consternation among the pursuers and they broke and galloped away. The would-be avengers rode homeward, dispersing along the road to their respective homes. Some of the amateur vigilantes dreading the ridicule the fiasco would call down upon them, caused to be spread in De Soto the report that they had overpowered and lynched Marsden. The news spread like wildfire through the town and to adjacent villages and the greatest excitement prevailed. Yesterday morning, however, the truth became known and Marsden's friends effectually denied the report and soon satisfied the people that the terror of Sandy Creek was alive and at home.

Roofing.

Mr. E. M. Dodd, of Ohio, a skillful roofer and tinner, has opened a shop on State street, in the rear of Nebinger & Reeser's leather store. He is making a specialty of slate, tin and iron roofing, spouting and repairing, and all kinds of tin, copper and sheet iron work done with neatness and dispatch.—Plain and ornamental slating contracted and executed in a workmanlike manner. Parties having anything done in his line will do well to give him a call and get his figures. Contractors will do well to give him a call. Correspondence solicited.

April 3—dlw

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Fired His House and Killed Himself.

HILLSBORO, Mo., April 9.—Michael Hoffman, an old bachelor, who lives by himself two miles west of town, early yesterday set his stable on fire, killed a fine hound that he owned, then set his house on fire and killed himself. He shot himself in the temple with a Winchester rifle, and no doubt died without a struggle. He leaves no relatives in this country. He came from Germany about six or seven years ago. He leaves property, but no heirs here. The house would have burned only for being shut up tight. He had several hundred cartridges in the house. At the inquest $16 was found on his person. The probable cause was that he had been hunting for gold on his land, and has been sick for some time. When he found that his efforts were in vain he gave up in despair and committed the rash act. He was considered by some temporarily insane.

Bonded Whiskey.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—From information received at the treasury department, it appears that the Quebec Steamship company, which has a line of steamers running between New York and Bermuda, is doing a thriving business in transporting American whiskey which has been in bond about three years. The thousands of barrels of whiskey taken to Bermuda are not left there, but are immediately returned. The steamer which carries the cargo of whiskey to Bermuda brings the same cargo back, and the whiskey is put in bond in the Custom House, where it can remain two years without paying the tax. All that is done at Hamilton, Bermuda, is simply to roll the barrels of whisky out of the steamer and on to the pier, and then roll them back. This proceeding enables the American consul there to certify that the whisky has been landed.

Mormonism.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 9.—Over forty couples are reported as having been seen go to and come out of the polygamy mill known as the endowment house, on Thursday. The harangues at this conference have much the shouts of victory at the small effect of the Edmunds law, from which so much was feared, and at the failure of efforts for further legislation done against saints. At the session this afternoon 150 old missionaries were detailed to go to Great Britain, Germany and, and the Southern states.

WESTWARD

The Tide of Emigration Wends its Way.

ST. PAUL, April 9.—The travel thus far during the current season surpasses everything before known at St. Paul. Arriving and departing trains are taxed to their utmost to supply the demand for accommodations, and the resources of roads centering at St. Paul are daily drawn upon to their farthest limit. In conversation with railroad men on the subject they express themselves as surprised at the daily accessions made to the city's floating population. Nothing like it was ever before seen. At present it is thought that not less than 10,000 passengers are received here per week and forwarded to Northwestern points by way of the Northern Pacific and Manitoba lines. The traffic over these roads the past week has been so unexpectedly large that at times it was found absolutely impossible to procure the complement of rolling stock necessary to their transportation. This was the case of one of the roads no longer ago than Thursday night, and the result was that fully 200 adventurous pioneers into Montana, Idaho and the Yellowstone Valley were detained at St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Five hundred settlers left St. Paul Saturday night on one train over the Northern Pacific. Advices from abroad to the Northern Pacific and Manitoba Emigrant Agencies here indicated that the number will be unprecedently large, not less than 5,000 a week, or 60,000 during the season will arrive and depart from St. Paul to their new homes on the other side of the Rockies and beyond. This condition is nearly repeated on the lines south of here, the Winona and Port Peter and Southern Minnesota being crowded to their utmost capacity with thousands of settlers for Southern Minnesota and Southern Dakota.

No Favors for Lord Roscoe.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The National Republican, the administration organ, printed a paragraph Saturday morning which has caused much comment among political gossips. Referring to Roscoe Conkling's argument in a patent case at the Interior department Friday the paragraph says: "He seemed to be in better health and spirits than usual, and when he gathered up his papers he said to Solicitor McCammon, 'Give me one of those rubber bands on your desk. I guess that is all I shall get out of this administration.'"

Patent officials claim that Conkling has been misquoted, but they fail to explain the origin of the story printed by the administration organ.

Senator Hill.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Senator Hill, of Colorado, is in a ruffled state of mind. He and his friends are under the ban of the administration. Hill complains because Secretary Teller, who is apparently keeping an eye on the political future, is engaged in turning out Hill's friends and putting in his own in all the most desirable offices in Colorado. Hill is now here. A friend of his said that the next campaign in Colorado will be hot as tophet.

A Dispute Settled with a Pistol.

DALLAS, Tex., April 9.—A cold-blooded murder was committed Friday evening in Wayzant county, on the farm of Nan Elliott, on which W. M. Tate and James J. Crow were at work. A few hot words passed between them when Crow drew a pistol and shot Tate, killing him instantly, and then fled and is still at large. But little is known of Tate, except he was recently from Missouri and was a quiet inoffensive man, and the blame for the dispute is charged to Crow.

Rabid Dogs in Texas.

MARSHALL, Tex., April 9.—Another mad dog, the fourth this week, was chased and killed here Saturday. Fortunately no one has yet been bitten, so far as known, though several have had narrow escapes. Several parties have stopped their little ones from school, lest they might be attacked by some rabid monster on the way.

Due to Despondency.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 9.—Saturday morning about 9 o'clock Mr. S. W. Bryan, a well-known and substantial citizen committed suicide by shooting himself, near his farm, ten miles north of the city, the bullet entering his temple and passing through the back part of his head. He had gone to Mr. Fawcett's, a neighbor, and transacted some business and started back home. On the way he stopped and got the rifle, which he had secreted in his pasture, and committed the rash deed. Mr. Bryan was a farmer, about 54 years of age, and leaves a wife and eight children. The cause of his rash act was doubtless temporary mental aberration.

Fatal Termination of a Quarrel Between Negroes.

ELIZABETHTOWN, Ky., April 9.—Saturday evening three negroes—Sam Hansbro, Wm. Bryant, and Rube Krutz—became involved in a difficulty over some money which Hansboro claimed they had beaten him out of $4 50. After several words were passed Hanboro shot Kurtz in the left side just below the arm, and killed him instantly. Hansboro fled and is yet at large.

MRS. A. N. FRANK, 177 West Tupper Street, Buffalo, N. Y., says she has used THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL for severe toothache and neuralgia, and considers it the best thing she knows of for relieving pain. 4

FULL line of piece goods just received at Decatur's One-Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of Old Square. m'ch7-d&wtf

ORDER Decatur coal, Nut or Lump of Caldwell, P. O. Block. 24dtf

ASK for Wilson Bros.' Shirts at B. STINE'S. f14dtf

GET McKenzie, at J. W. Baker's, to make you a pair of boots that will fit you. March 15, d&wtf

Two new shoemakers from St. Louis at J. W. Baker's. All late style shoes made to order. mch 15, d&wtf

A School Girl's Romance.

HARTFORD, Ct., April 9.—It appears that William B. Woodhouse, who was sentenced Saturday to two months' imprisonment for defrauding the United States Hotel, had only just been released from the jail at Bristol, R. I., where he had served a year's time for theft. His wife, a bright, pretty little woman of fifteen, remains faithful to him. She was the niece of a township clerk in Bristol jailer, and while visiting there fell in love with Woodhouse. Upon his release she eloped with him and they were married. After her husband's arrest here the school-girl wife was cared for at a private benevolent institution, and will be given accommodations until she returns to her parents. She indignantly repels any criticism on her husband, and says she married him with a full knowledge of his past life. Her maiden name was Mabel Franklin. Her father lives at Swansea, R. I., with a second wife, the girl's mother living in Bristol.

Domestic Troubles Drive to Suicide.

DENVER, Col., April 9.—Mrs. Thomas Hamilton jumped into a well here yesterday. She was saved from drowning, but died an hour later from the internal injuries received. The woman was crazed by domestic misfortunes, and had threatened several times during the few days past to destroy herself. After having lost an only child her husband was attacked by highwaymen one night, brutally beaten and robbed. The wounds were so severe as to necessitate his confinement. While under the surgeon's care he contracted pneumonia. All hope of his recovery is abandoned. His wife hearing the opinion of the doctors, said she had nothing more to live for, and, rushing out of the house, leaped into a well shaft close by with the result stated.

Fell into Boiling Pitch.

DELPHOS, O., April 9.—Matthew Robinson was burned to death at Spencerville, this country, Saturday night, by falling into a fire over which was suspended a kettle of boiling pitch. He lived by himself in an old shanty near his dry dock, and was engaged in repairing canal-boats, and was stooping over stirring the pitch when, becoming dizzy, he fell over, knocking the kettle off the pole, and the hot pitch poured out on him. He worked himself out of the fire and laid down on his bed, which caught fire from the burning pitch, and he was soon enveloped in flames. His cries attracted the attention of some boatmen, but they could not render assistance until it was too late, and he died in a short time. His whole body was burned to a crisp.

Fatally Burned.

OWENSBORO, Ky., April 9.—Mrs. Mike Ferriell was buried here yesterday, her death being caused Saturday from serious burns. She was standing in front of the fire at her home in Dublin, one of the environs of this city, when her clothing became ignited. Before assistance could reach her every garment she had on was in flames, and portions of her body were burned into a crisp before they were extinguished. Mrs. Ferriell was about 50 years of age, and leaves a husband and seven children.

Lincoln's Tomb Securely Guarded.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The Sunday Herald of to-day says: "There is a mystery surrounding the tomb of Abraham Lincoln. The grave is not guarded, so far as any human eye can see, yet it is protected. Secretary Lincoln said the other day he was absolutely certain that the remains of his father could have no harm. After the first attempt secure means of protection was employed. The secret of this security is only known to three people. When the friends of the late Gen. Garfield think the guard over his tomb has been maintained long enough, Col. Rockwell will be intrusted with the secret of the protection of the tomb of Abraham Lincoln."

BEDOUIN ARABS.

The Arrival of the Athlets Produce a Sensation in New York.

NEW YORK, April 9.—The steamer Celtic of the White Star line arrived from Liverpool on Friday, bringing among other passengers a large company of native Bedouin Arabs, who represent several well known tribes, and possess unusual intelligence. Immediately upon their leaving the steamer they were surrounded by crowds of sight-seers, and the peculiarity of their costumes created quite a sensation. So great was the curiousity to get even a glimpse of the Orientals as they passed from the pier to their carriages the streets were literally blockaded. The party, consisting of twelve men and women, at once drove to the Westminster Hotel, where they were assigned rooms previously secured by their manager. Upon inquiry it was learned that the entire band were under engagement to W. W. Cole, the famous St. Louis showman, and that they had been induced to leave their native land by one of Cole's agents, who accompanied them on their journey from Constantinople. They were clad in Syrian costume, the males wearing red tarboushes on their heads, and trowsers, which reached only to the knee, of dark blue silk. The legs below the knee were bare, but the feet were encased in bright red morocco shoes with pointed toes. The men are unusually muscular in appearance, and seem well adapted for the athletic and war-like performances for which they are noted. The chief, who is accompanied by his wife, is an ancient-looking Sheik, and yet full of vigor and agile as a tiger. His heavy beard falls in wavy masses upon his breast and altogether he presents a most imposing presence.

Jeff. Davis Oration.

NEW ORLEANS, April 9.—Incident to the ceremony of decorating the graves of the Confederate dead in this city Friday, and laying the corner-stone of the monument to be surmounted by an equestrian statue of Albert Sidney Johnston, an oration was delivered by Jefferson Davis, in which he eulogized the characteristics of the dead leader. In Johnston he recognized a strong pillar to the Confederacy, and when he fell on the field of Shiloh the mightiest column which sustained the cause had fallen. He died in a moment of victory and had he lived half an hour longer he would have made Grant a prisoner or a fugitive. The Confederacy had three great leaders, Lee, Jackson and Johnson, who would compare with leaders of antiquity or modern times. At a banquet in the evening the speaker reiterated the sentiments.

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, April 9.—Loans, increase, $1,909,300; specie, increase, $1,533,600; legal tenders, decrease, $878,100; deposits, increase, $1,036,200. circulation, decrease, $42,800; reserve, increase, $896,450. The banks now hold $3,701,000 below the legal requirements.

Senator Crows Acquitted.

BELLVILLE, Ill., April 9.—The trial of Seth F. Crews of Mt. Vernon, upon an indictment for obtaining $3,000 from Edward Abend of this city, by means of the confidence game, was concluded Saturday and resulted in a triumphant acquittal of the accused.

Accused of Infanticide.

DAVENPORT, Io., April 9.—Yesterday the City Marshal of Rock Island arrested Mrs. Emma Dresser. It is alleged that the woman's new-born child was thrown into the river last Tuesday night, and that she was knowing to it. The father of the babe is said to be known to the police, though his name has not been made public.

OPERA HOUSE | ONE NIGHT ONLY!

MONDAY, APRIL 9th.

CHARLES E. FORD'S

English Comic Opera COMPANY,

In Gilbert & Sullivan's new Fairy Comic Opera, entitled

IOLANTHE!

—OR,—

THE PEER AND THE PERI.

Avowedly the best Interpreters in America of Gilbert's sparkling wit, and Sullivan's exquisite melodies.

Admission—Reserved Seats, $1.00; general admission, 75 and 50 cents. The sale of seats for the opera of "Iolanthe" will commence Thursday morning, April 5th, at Curtis & Co.'s jewelry store.

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE FOR SALE.—My residence, No. 39, West Cerro Gordo street, a complete home in fistrate order. Possession can be given in sixty days. Any one desiring to purchase will please call on me at my place on the Levee.

April 9—dtf J. S. CAMPBELL.

FOR SALE—The dairy stock of Frank Moser is offered for sale. The stock includes 42 cows, 2 horses, 3 wagons, with a complete dairy outfit. Call on or address

Apr. 7-dtf F. MOSER, Decatur, Ill.

WANTED—A good cook at No. 11, West Main street. SARAH DITZLER.

April 6—d6t*

WANTED—A good cook at the Commercial Hotel. Apply at once.

4d6* JESSE DIVAN.

SEAMSTRESS—Any one wishing a good seamstress to sew in the family—one who can cut and fit—or any one desiring embroidery neatly done, call at No. 30 West Wood st.

apr4dtf

WANTED—A man to travel in Central Illinois to sell goods for a New York Law House. Address P. O. Box 981, J. P. H., Decatur, Ill. April 3-d1w*

ROOFING—E. M. Dodd, Practical Roofer. Slate, tin and iron roofs a specialty. Tin copper and sheet iron work of all kinds done to order. Spouting and repairing of roofs of all kinds done with neatness and dispatch. Roofs repainted with slate roof paint. Plain and ornamental roofs solicited from a distance. State Street, 2d door from East William St., Decatur, Illinois. apr3dtf

CARRIAGE LINE.—The public should know that Eppler's carriage line will attend all trains and calls to funerals and private parties. Order at Cole's drug store, opposite Post Office. Orders by telephone promptly attended to. mar22d5w*

UPHOLSTERING of all kinds done and satisfaction guaranteed, by C. P. HART. Mar. 5-dtf

NEW BAKERY AND RESTAURANT—I am now in the bakery and restaurant business again, in the new building south of the REPUBLICAN office, fully prepared to furnish warm meals at all hours. Give me a call. Meals, 25 cents. JOSEPH MCCRARY.

Nov. 27—dtf

J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 7, Decatur, Illinois. may 18-dly

SCROLL SAWING and Turning done to order at Will C. Andress' factory, corner of Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets.

May 21dtf

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHULL, Powers' Block. mar1dtf

B. McGORRAY. A. C. STEVENS.

NEW FIRM.

B. McGorray and A. C. Stevens have formed a copartnership for transacting Real Estate and Insurance business, and keep constantly on hand, for sale or exchange, houses, lots and farming lands. Life, fire and tornado insurance in number one companies. Passage to and from Europe. Room No. 3, Powers' Block. April 6-d3m*

SEED CORN!

PROCURED FROM

Hiram Sibley & Co., Seedmen,

CHICAGO, ILL. ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Sibley's Seed Corn from the Lime Stone Regions of Nebraska.

Not one bushel in one thousand of the 1882 crop of the central portion of the great corn belt is fit for seed. We have tested scores of samples that proved utterly worthless. We have employed skilled Corn specialists to scour the country, who have found in Nebraska a limited amount of seed of superior germinating vitality, which we are confident will grow and mature a good crop.

RUN NO RISKS

BY PLANTING DOUBTFUL SEED.

Some corn sprouts in a weakly way which can produce only sickly plants at best, and which may not mature the grain.

The Best at Any Cost is Cheapest.

Do not plant Southern or Southwestern seed corn in this latitude, as there is very little possibility of its ripening a crop.

FOR SALE BY

D. S. SHELLABARGER & CO.,

Decatur, Illinois.

April 9—d&w1mo

OPERA HOUSE | ONE NIGHT ONLY!

FRIDAY, APRIL 13.

The Minstrel Event of the Season,

THATCHER, PRIMROSE & WEST'S CONSOLIDATED

MINSTRELS!

GEO. T. CLAPHAM, MANAGER.

The greatest prominence ever attained in refined Minstrelsy. See the list of Stars:

George Thatcher,
Primrose & West,
Billy Rice,
Hughey Dougherty,

3 GREAT RANKINS, 3

Frank E. McNish,
Geo. H. Edwards,
Charles Queen,

And 30 Other Acknowledged Artists!

each and every one appearing in an Unequalled Performance, pronounced by press and public

The Greatest Minstrel Show in Existence

PRICES—Admission, 50 and 75 cents; reserved seats without extra charge. The sale of seats will begin at Curtis & Co.'s on Tuesday morning, April 10.

New and Stylish

FURNITURE

At prices to Suit Everybody at LIDDLE'S, Court House Block.

Elegant PARLOR SUITES, 5, 6 or 7 pieces, in Silk, Plush, Tapestry and Fancy Coverings.

SILK AND PLUSH EASY CHAIRS and PATENT ROCKERS.

RATTAN and CANE ROCKERS and LADIES' CHAIRS

BED-ROOM SETS in walnut and other woods.

BOOK CASES, CENTRE TABLES, LADIES' WRITING DESKS, BIBLE STANDS, CHAIRS, Mattresses, Pillows, Mirrors, and other useful and ornamental goods to make homes attractive.

NOTE THIS FACT.—These goods are all bought at a large discount for prompt cash, and will be sold at less prices than many dealers can afford to sell goods.

COOK STOVES

FOR COAL OR WOOD.

"GLAD TIDINGS"

HAS NO SUPERIOR.

Thousands in every-day use, and highly recommended by all ladies using them.

REFRIGERATORS, BABY CARRIAGES, QUEENSWARE,

And almost all kinds of Housekeepers' Goods.

TIN WORK AND REPAIRING

By the best workmen in the city.

UPHOLSTERY WORK AND FURNITURE REPAIRING.

Prices always reasonable.

Yours Truly,

Feb. 19—d&wtf R. LIDDLE.

We Are Opening

HANDSOME GOODS

Every Day.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.'S

—STOCK OF—

Fine Jewelry is Immense!

NEW GOODS EVERY DAY.

Our assortment of SILVERWARE, GOLD and SILVER WATCHES and FANCY GOODS is the finest in the city. Do not fail to see them.

Dec. 21, 1882—d&wtf

SACRIFICE SALE

—OF—

Dry Goods and Millinery

$20,000

Worth of First-Class Goods to

Be Closed Out in Sixty Days!

Having decided to make a change in our business, we will on

THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 5th,

OFFER OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY

—AT—

Cost and Less than Cost to Close.

Our Stock is New, Fresh and Attractive, and Splendidly Assorted. This will be a wonderful chance to secure Rare Bargains. Every article in the stock marked in plain-selling figures, and the sacrifice price in blue pencil under.

Remember, the Sale commences THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 5th, at Our Store, No. 20 EAST MAIN STREET. Sale positive and without reserve, and for cash only.

As the first choice is always the best, purchasers should be on hand promptly to secure the rare bargains. Don't forget THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 5th

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

No. 20 EAST MAIN ST., POWERS' BLOCK.

April 3, 1883—d&w1w

RANDOLPH & GHER,

(Successors to Randolph & Kaufman.)

ALL PARTIES WISHING TO

Buy, Sell or Exchange City or Farm Property

Will do well by calling on the above, for they have a larger list than ever before to select from, and they will be pleased to show parties wishing to buy or exchange; also if you want your property insured. They represent some of the best insurance companies.

☞ Office at the old place, over Newell & Bro.s' grocery, Water street, Decatur, Illinois.

April 5, 1883—d2mo RANDOLPH & GHER.

P. PERL,

EMBALMER

AND

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

May 27, '82-dtf.

MRS. C. H. SMILEY,

FASHIONABLE

DRESS MAKER

Late of Kansas City, has located here, and is prepared to do all kinds of plain and Fashionable DRESS-MAKING. All work first-class and guaranteed.

Making Over Suits a Specialty

Residence—Northeast Corner East Prairie and Jackson streets, Decatur, Illinois.

Feb 3-dtf

J. B. BULLARD,

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—AND—

FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

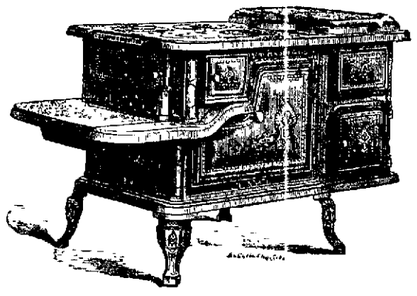
Mr. Bullard will always keep in stock the best of everything pertaining to the Undertaking business, with cheap prices to correspond. He makes a specialty of Embalming and preserving the features of the dead. Do not fail to interview Mr. Bullard when requiring service in his line. The finest hearses and carriages always ready for prompt service at any day, and all orders by telephone will receive prompt attention.

Stand Southwest Cor. of Old Square, DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

March 2, 1883—d&wtf

"The Delights of Travel Without Its Discomforts"
May be obtained by attending the
Ragan Illustrated Lectures!
—AT THE—
Opera House, April 10th, 11th and 12th.
These Lectures will be magnificently and profusely illustrated by means of the Oxy-Hydrogen Light, and the sixty to seventy pictures shown each evening, will be projected upon a canvas screen of about 750 SQUARE FEET.
"PARIS, THE MAGNIFICENT,"
TUESDAY, APRIL 10th.
"VENICE, MILAN AND THE ITALIAN LAKES,"
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11th.
"LONDON FROM THE TOP OF AN OMNIBUS,"
THURSDAY, APRIL 12th.
Course Tickets for three Evening Lectures, (Secured Seats), $1.50; Single Evening Tickets (Secured Seats), 75 cents; Single Evening Tickets—General Admission—35 cents and 50 cents. Sale of Tickets will begin at the store of Curtis & Co., April 5th, at 9 a. m.

WE WILL OFFER
During April and the balance of March
100 PAIRS
FINE GOLD
EYE GLASSES
—AT—
$4 per Pair, Worth $6.
100 PAIRS
FINE GOLD
SPECTACLES!
FROM $4.00 UP.
Our Gold Spectacles and Eye Glasses are all fitted with the Celebrated "Diamond" Lenses, and are the best goods in the market.
O. E. CURTIS & CO.,
LEADING JEWELERS.
March 23, 1883—d&wtf

W. L. FERGUSON. B. W. DILLEHUNT.
NEW STORE—NEW FIRM!

Ferguson & Dillehunt
Having taken the room lately occupied by the Decatur National Bank, NO 13 WATER STREET, and having remodeled and refitted the same, have opened a Full Stock of
HARDWARE!
TINWARE, CUTLERY, CARPENTERS' TOOLS, &c.
Also a full line of STOVES, including the unexcelled
Champion and Champion Monitor Cook Stoves
For which we are the Sole Agents in Decatur.
ROOFING AND SPOUTING DONE TO ORDER.
We respectfully ask a share of public patronage.
Feb. 22—w1y&d3mo FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT.

—THE—
BIG SHOE STORE,
13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.
Headquarters for LILLY, BRACKETT & CO. and BURT & MEAR'S Celebrated SHOES. Full line always in stock. They are the dandy styles, and the finest to be had.
L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
July 11, 1882—d&w1y

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.
Per week, payable to Carrier, ... 15 Cts.
One year, in advance, ... $7.00
Six Months, " 3.50
Three Months, " 1.75

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 9, 1883.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CITY ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce T. T. ROBERTS as an independent candidate for alderman in the third ward.

DECATUR, ILL., April 9, 1883.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN: Please announce my name as a candidate for alderman of the first ward at the next city election.
JAMES C. LAKE.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—You will please announce my name as a citizen's candidate for alderman in the first ward at the city election.
F. PRIEST.

BY request of many friends of all parties, I hereby announce myself an independent candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing April election.
C. C. RADCLIFF.

HON. L. L. HAWORTH has consented to be a candidate for mayor at the coming city election, at the request of many friends.

WE are authorized to announce ENOS KEPLER as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the Republican convention.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:—If JAMES H. MILLIKIN would consent to take the field for city clerk at the ensuing election he will be elected by a large majority.
A VOTER.

WE are authorized to announce ANDREW SHOEMAKER as a candidate for alderman in the fifth ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM J. USREY as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce C. O. JUDSON as a candidate for city treasurer, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce J. J. H. YOUNG, JR., as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce DAVID HUTCHISON as a candidate for re-election to the office of city attorney.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES M. DURFEE as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES H. FULLER as a candidate for city clerk at the ensuing municipal election.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

WALK in and see the Novelty Baby Carriages at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

CALDWELL has the best hard coal in market. P. O. Block. 24dtf

MY RESIDENCE, corner of North Main and King streets, is for sale. Possession could be given in 60 days from date of sale.
March 1-d6w WM. J. QUINLAN.

THIS evening—"Iolanthe."

ATTEND the Republican primaries to-morrow night.

A. CLERK, the hatter, has gone out of business.

THERE is a horse-buyer in the city with headquarters at Culp's wagon yard.

PART of the "Iolanthe" troupe is at the New Deming hotel.

WE are requested to announce that M. P. Murphey will speak on temperance at Janes' Chapel on Thursday evening, April 12th.

EVERYBODY should know that Ferguson & Dillehunt's hardware store is at No. 13 North Water street. 5dtf

THE Decatur Exchange should issue a corrected list of telephone subscribers for the convenience of patrons. The old cards have mostly disappeared.

E. M. DODD a practical roofer, spouter, etc., is on deck on State street, 2d door north of William street. 3d6

THIS morning Harry Hathaway had Brenneman's "Stoner Boy" out on the streets exercising him.

THE Abbott buggies may be had at D. F. Hamsher's shops, where repair work is one of the specialties.

THE Prof. Ragan lectures will commence to-morrow evening at the opera house.

FARMERS and Decatur horse owners should patronize J. W. Tyler when in quest of serviceable harness.

DON'T forget that Ferguson & Dillehunt will store stoves. No. 13 North Water street. 5dtf

THE ladies of Decatur should call at Cole's drug store for fine toilet soaps and perfumery. 5-dtf

THE speakers at the temperance meeting at the tabernacle on Saturday night were Elder Pinkerton, M. P. Murphey, L. F. Muzzy and D. L. Bunn. There was a fair-sized audience present.

MT. OLIVE Coal Co.'s coal makes no clinkers; burns up clean. To be had only at Vennigerholz's Coal Yard. Mar. 15dtf

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT will store stoves for the season, at No. 13 North Water street. mch 5-dtf

THE king minstrel troupe, Thatcher, Primrose & West's mammoth combination will appear at the opera house on Friday evening. Admission, 50 and 75 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats.

ALWAYS ask your dealer for Schroeder's famous Bohemian cigars, sold at a nickel each. They are good ones.

THE State Dental Society will hold its annual meeting in Decatur in May. Dr. A. S Waltz is making preparations—procuring terms, etc.—for the entertainment of the many delegates who will visit the city.

PLAIN and fancy roofing a specialty. See Dodd on State street, 2d door north of William. 3d6

AT the meeting of the Alumni Association, held Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A. room, Edward Heilman was elected president, in place of H. B. Durfee, who could not serve in that position owing to business matters requiring his attention. The banquet this year will be similar to the one served in 1882, and the association will need about $200 in cash to foot all the bills.

ENTER in your diary to go to Venice, Milan and the Italian Lakes, Tuesday, April 10th.

PARIS, the magnificent, Wednesday, April 11th.

LONDON, from the top of an omnibus, Thursday, April 12th, 17dtf

THE popular "Blower" hand made, clear Havana filler, five cent cigar, is made by Keck & Weigand, East Eldorado street, who also manufacture the famous "10-er" and "Keystone" cigars. feb20-dtf

THE association of R. R. Telegraph Superintendents has changed the date of its next annual meeting in Chicago from the first Wednesday in May to Wednesday, June 13th, so that its members may be able to visit the National Exposition of Railway Appliances, which will be in progress at that time.

BE wise and deal with Pope & Bro., in opera block, when you want anything in the family grocery line.

CALL on Thompson & Baker for good fitting shirts. No. 8 Merchant street. apr7-d&w1w

Go to Joe Sutter's "Lone Star" store and ask for the "Golden Belt" nickel cigars.

A DARK MYSTERY.

Who in Decatur Can Unravel It?—Three Photographs the Only Clue.

On Saturday last Postmaster Lytle received a letter from Carthage, Mo., of which the following is a copy:

Postmaster, Decatur, Ill.:—I have in my possession three photographs of ladies obtained from the pocket of a man whose body was found in New Mexico, partly burned, and it is supposed he had been killed by the Indians. One of these pictures has written on it "Merry Christmas. Nellie," and was photographed by F. M. Leforgee, over Hays & Bruce's store, Water street, Decatur, Ill. The two others have on them the name of H. W. Scibird, photographic parlors on second floor, No. 20 Merchant street, Decatur, Ill. Will you please publish through the papers or otherwise, that the friends of the deceased may learn this much of his fate? They can obtain the pictures by writing me.
Respectfully,
ESTHER MURRAY.

Carthage, Mo., April 5, 1883.

Both F. M. Leforgee and H. W. Scibird, photographers, have been engaged in the business in Decatur at the places described in the letter. The murdered man may have lived in Decatur, and the ladies whose pictures appear on the photograph cards may be residents of this city. Miss Murray should send the photographs to Decatur, and then if the pictures are recognized, there would be a better chance of learning the identity of the unfortunate man.

The Decatur Pool.

A meeting of the Decatur pool was held at the Grand Pacific Hotel, at Chicago, on Friday, representatives of the Indiana, Bloomington and Western, the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville, the Illinois Midland, the Wabash and the Illinois Central being present. It was decided to change the form of the pool into a gross pool, and percentages were fixed on all business except soft coal. The new pool is to be in effect twelve months beginning April 1, 1883, ninety days' notice of withdrawal being required.

THE funeral of the late Florence Troub took place on Sunday afternoon from the German Catholic church in the fourth ward. The attendance of friends was very large. The deceased was a member of the Decatur Turner society, and there were about 30 members of the organization present. The remains were laid at rest in the Catholic cemetery.

Excursion West.

Tom Bivins comes to the front again and announces that on Tuesday, April 17, he will manage another cheap excursion over the Wabash to Kansas and Missouri. Round trip tickets good for 40 days. For further particulars call on Mr. Bivins at his office at J. T. Hand & Co.'s. The rate as stated in the REPUBLICAN of Saturday was made without the knowledge or authority of Mr. Bivins. The terms can be learned by applying to the Wabash office or at the office of Mr. Bivins. 10d3t

ON Tuesday evening May 1st, Assessor Fred J. Smith will deliver a lecture on "The Ancient Roman World," at Knights of Labor Hall. Tickets of admission 50 cents. Each person buying a ticket will have one chance in the drawing of one span of horses, wagon and harness, owned by Fred's son, M. F. Smith. The drawing will occur on the evening of the lecture.

Third Ward.

Mr. T. T. Roberts is to-day announced as an independent candidate for alderman in the third ward. Mr. Roberts is an old citizen, a leading business man, and would make a most excellent alderman.

THE salutatorian of the 1883 graduating class of the Decatur High School will be Miss Amanda Pickrell, daughter of Hon. J. H. Pickrell, of Harristown. The valedictorian will be Matt Smith, of Decatur. The commencement exercises will be held at the opera house on Friday, June 1st.

NEW potatoes sold at $1.40 a peck in the Decatur market on Saturday; asparagus, 10 cents a bunch; strawberries, 50 cents a box; cucumbers, 15 to 20 cents apiece; new cabbage, 15 to 20 cents ahead; new peas in hulls, 50 cents a gallon; small tomatoes, 25 cents a dozen, and radishes, beets and spinach at corresponding high figures.

NEAR Decatur on Saturday last Thomas Kennedy, of the Wabash, had his left wrist badly burned by a steam pipe. He was engaged in oiling the valves and the motion of the engine threw his wrist against the pipe. The arm is badly inflamed and it is feared that erysipelas will set in.

THIS forenoon Lewis Canfield, a Central brakeman, called on Surgeon Chenoweth to have his right thumb and hand dressed. The young man had the hand hurt at Pana on Sunday morning, and will enjoy a lay-off until the member gets in condition for use.

THE Maroa *News* says Wiggins came in like a lion and went out like a dog with a tin can tied to his tail, or words to that effect. Served him right. Wiggins is a fraud anyhow. Vennor says so, but then Vennor is a very poor guesser, and is jealous of Wig.

THE G. A. R. band met for practice Saturday evening. The members played several selections very well, and people on the street in the vicinity of the hall were surprised at the evidence of advancement made in so short a time.

THE White Stockings base ball club of Springfield went to St. Louis on Sunday and played against the Brown Stockings of that city. The Springfield club got beautifully drubbed, the score standing 10 to 0 in favor of St. Louis.

THE missionary work of Springfield papers does not appear to be appreciated. The circulation of the *Register* is dwindling. Decatur Democrats doubtless think the home organ is good enough for them.

THE Ford Opera company has arrived in the city and will present the new comic opera, "Iolanthe," to-night. This sparkling opera is a satire on the English parliament, and is brimful of pleasing music.

J. N. WILKINSON conducted the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday. The subject was "The House Built upon a Rock."

PARTIES wanting seats at the Methodist jubilee to-morrow, will have to go early to get good seats at each of the services.

BREWER BROS., Monmouth, say: "We can always say a good word for Brown's Iron Bitters." 6

Roofing! Roofing!

Ferguson & Dillehunt do roofing and spouting cheap. No. 13 Water street. March 5-dtf.

The Republican Primaries.

The Republican primary meetings for the purpose of selecting delegates to the city convention on Thursday evening will be held to-morrow evening at the following places: First ward at Neptune hose house, second ward at the council chamber, third ward at firemen's headquarters, fourth ward at the sheriff's office, fifth ward at Eldorado hose house. Let every Republican interested in the growth and prosperity of the city be on hand to take part in the proceedings. A candidate for alderman in each ward will be selected by the delegates elected at the primaries, and the convention on Thursday will nominate only candidates for mayor, attorney, clerk and treasurer. The only candidate announced for treasurer is C. O. Judson, but there is a greater competition for the clerkship. The candidates announced subject to the decision of the convention are William J. Usrey, Charles M. Durfee, Enos Kepler and John J. H. Young, jr.

"Paris, the Magnificent."

The Ragan illustrated lectures on Europe will commence at the opera house to-morrow evening, and the subject of the first of the series will be: "Paris, the Magnificent," Wednesday night, "Venice, Milan and the Italian Lakes," and Thursday evening, "London from the top of an Omnibus." Each of these lectures will be magnificently and profusely illustrated by means of the Oxy-Hydrogen light, and the 60 to 70 pictures, shown each evening, will be projected upon a canvas screen of about 750 square feet. The Professor is highly recommended by the press and pulpit, and will not fail to entertain, amuse and instruct all who may attend the lectures.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. S. Matheny, of Springfield, was in Decatur on Sunday, visiting relatives.

W. H. Shinn, of Sullivan, was an arrival at the St. Nicholas hotel to day.

Miss Jessie Spencer will teach the spring term of the "Madison" school.

John S. Campbell advertises his residence at No. 29 West Cerro Gordo st., for sale.

Dr. Joyce of Cincinnati, is expected to arrive in Decatur this afternoon from the east. He will deliver the jubilee sermon to-morrow at 3:30 p. m.

Dr. W. T. Sylvester, formerly a resident of Decatur, has left Arcola with his family for Jacksonville, Florida, where he will locate permanently.

Misses Maggie and Emma Brown and Lida Hobough, of Taylorville, are in the city visiting the Misses Birdie and Ida Jenks.

Amos Howenstine, who has been sticking type on the Tuscola *Review*, came home Saturday and was to have returned to-day, but he missed the train.

Will Taylor is home from Chicago, where he made a boom for Mexican Palmea toilet soap. He will give Chicago another whirl.

Justice Albert came up town this afternoon by the aid of a friendly crutch. He has been confined to his home with a broken leg for three weeks and is glad to be out again.

Rev. W. S. Prentice, P. E. of the Springfield district, Rev. Bonnell, Rev. Walden, Mrs. Noah Matheny and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Henkle arrived in the city this noon to be present at the jubilee meeting to-morrow.

C. W. Roberts, business manager for the Fred Warde dramatic combition, is in the city to-day, arranging for the appearance of his company here on the evening of the 16th. The bill here will be "Richelieu."

Rev. F. A. Conwell, agent for the Western Seamen's Friends' Society, of Chicago, is in the city to obtain aid for the above society in its work of benevolence to the unfortunate of all nations, religions or occupations. Mr. Conwell is stopping at the Drake hotel, where he will receive contributions of money, clothing, or goods of any kind.

Will Snyder, who has been the active city editor of the Decatur *Review* for over a year, will soon vacate his chair in that office and engage in some other pursuit, which he thinks will be more lucrative and congenial. We regret to lose Will from the reportorial brotherhood, and unite with his many friends in wishing him good luck in whatever other occupation he may engage.

WE are requested to state for the benefit of a few who seem to have a wrong idea of the opera "Iolanthe" that it is by the well known reputable authors, Gilbert and Sullivan, authors of "Pinafore" and "Pirates of Penzance," and is entirely free from any objectionable features. The opera is being performed by no less than eight of the leading opera companies of the country, and is one of Emma Abbott's most successful operas. It is now being sung at Her Majesty's Theatre, London, England, and at the Standard Theatre, New York, and is drawing large and fashionable audiences in both cities. Don't fail to see "Iolanthe."

Maroa Mention.

Rev. Harrison did go to Maroa on Saturday, but he didn't get away until noon. He held revival services which were very largely attended by Maroaites.

The following items of interest are from the *News*:

Mr. John Longstreet, who has been sick for a fortnight, was able to be on our streets again this week.

Dr. A. W. Bunce and a Mrs. Nailer was in Maroa yesterday looking after property with a view to purchasing. They particularly inquired about the property of N. A. Crouch, as they understood that that would be for sale.

Dr. E. A. Morgan, formerly of Decatur, has located in Maroa to practice medicine, his office being at Axton Bros.' drug store. We publish a recommendation elsewhere which shows that Dr. Morgan is a gentleman who is worthy of the confidence of our people. We welcome the Doctor to our midst, and trust that he will find his residence among us both pleasant and profitable.

John C. Gault.

A reporter of the *Globe-Democrat* met Col. J. C. Gault, of the Wabash, yesterday, and that gentleman promptly pronounced the rumor that he held a contract with the Wabash as absurd. He declared emphatically that he never had a contract in his life with any corporation, and he had little respect for any official who had so little reliance in his individual judgment and ability as to call for or accept a contract binding his time of service with any road. It is now stated that Col. Gault may still be induced to remain with the Wabash as Traffic Manager, although he refused to talk on that subject. He, however, admitted that his duties heretofore had only been those of a Traffic Manager, and the name of Vice President was only a title. The appointive officers of the Wabash will be named by Capt. R. S. Hayes this week.—*Globe-Democrat.*

THE BIG REVIVAL.

Fine Weather and Large Congregations—55 Converts Unite With the Church.

The Grand Jubilee Programme for Tomorrow.

Sunday was a bright, cheering spring day, and large congregations attended the religious services in the various Decatur churches, and so far as we have learned all of the preachers delivered excellent sermons.

UNION METHODIST SERVICES.

The forenoon and afternoon meetings were held at Stapp's Chapel. Rev. W. H. Musgrove preached the morning discourse, and at 3:30 p. m. Rev. Harrison conducted the regular Sunday jubilee. The evening services were held at the First M. E. Church, and the audience room was literally packed with people from all parts of the city. The altar was crowded with seekers and the usual large number professed conversion.

During the day 55 of the 2,000 converts united with the church on probation.

JUBILEE PROGRAMME.

Rev. Thomas Harrison will hold the grand jubilee over two thousand saved in the First M. E. Church on Tuesday, April 10th. Following will be the programme:

Pentacost service at 6 a. m.

Sermon by Rev. R. M. Hatfield, of Chicago, at 10:30 a. m.

Jubilee address by Dr. Joyce, of Cincinnati, at 2:30 p. m., followed by praise service.

Usual revival services at 7:15.

THE CLOSE.

Rev. Harrison who has been laboring in Decatur with phenomenal success since Nov. 30—Thanksgiving Day—will bring the revival to a close on Friday, April 13th, and on Sunday he will probably go to Vandalia to conduct revival services for one day, and then he will go to Boston to remain several weeks for a rest.

Correspondence.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:—The spring time is opening out grandly and all nature seems to be rejoicing, even up this memorable stream. * * The effect of the frost on old mother earth has been splendid, and the plow that slips off freely the loosened loam must have a splendid polish. * * Winter wheat is coming out of the siege fairly, and will be an average crop if nothing else intervenes between now and harvest to cut it short. * * Some of the candidates for the lucratives offices in the gift of the sovereign voters of Whitmore find out by pleasant experience that Salt river is navigable, especially up stream. * * We all arrived safely, late on the evening of the 3d, and find the climate is very salubrious, although the dashing billows along the voyage made us tremble in our boots. * * When you see a man who attended the election one year ago, and had not interest enough to vote, but now making his way toward the ballot box with a folded ticket in his hand: if you are a candidate and may unfortunately have had a little trouble with him formerly, you may as well speak for a passage up stream at once.
O. L. STUART.

SALT RIVER, Whitmore, April 9, 1883.

THE attendance of the Baptist Sunday school yesterday was 164.

THERE are no better pianos in the world than the celebrated Haines Bros.' instruments. They are sold only in Decatur by C. B. Prescott, whose parlor is in opera block.

VEGETABLES in season on sale at Stookey & Peniwell's grocery store in opera block.

MARRIED.

In this city at the office of the judge, on Monday, April 9, 1883, by Judge S. F. Greer, MR. JAMES L. TAYLOR and MISS LUCY A. GRAHAM, both of Moawequa, Illinois.

The bride is a blushing damsel of "sweet sixteen," and the groom is 21. The ceremony, though performed rather early in the morning, was witnessed by a number of people who gathered at the office. Mr. Taylor and bride departed for Mowequa on the 10 o'clock train.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at W. W. Wilcox's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, April 9.

WHEAT—90¾ April; $1.01¾ May; $1.05⅞ June; $1.06 July; 99⅜ Year.
CORN—47⅞ Apr; 53½ May; 53½ June; 55 July; —— Year.
OATS—37 Apr; 40⅞ May; 40½ June; 39⅝ July.
PORK—$17.92½ April; $18.07½ May; $18.25 June.
LARD—$11.17½ Apr; $11.27½ May; $11.32½ June.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 6,500; shipments, 3062; light hogs, $7.25@$7.75; mixed, $7.20@$7.65; heavy, $7.50@$8.15; cattle receipts, 4,000.

	Receipts.	Shipments.	Car Lots.
WHEAT.....	32,165	17,287	85
CORN..... ..	63,437	58,327	581
OATS	3,579	1,461	109
RYE..... ..	18,621	11,434	8

NEW YORK, April 9.

WHEAT—$1.18⅝ April; $1.17⅞ May; $1.18⅞ June; $1.16⅝ July; $1.17½ Year.
CORN—64 April; 64⅝ May; 64⅜ June; 65⅝ July; 66½ Year.

TOLEDO, April 9.

WHEAT—$1.07½ April; $1.08⅝ May; $1.10 June; $—— July; $1.05½ Year.
CORN—52¾ Apr; 54 May; 55¾ June.

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }
County Court of Macon county, to the May Term, A. D. 1883.

Isaac D. Walker, administrator of the estate of Frederick Malehorn, deceased, vs. Anna Trenkle, Thomas Graves and the unknown heirs of Frederick Malehorn.—Petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the unknown heirs of Frederick Malehorn, deceased, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said unknown heirs of Frederick Malehorn that the said plaintiff, Isaac D. Walker, administrator of the estate of Frederick Malehorn, deceased, has filed his petition in the said County Court of Macon county for an order to sell the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased, or so much of it as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased, and described as follows, to-wit: Part of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-four, township seventeen, range three east of the third principal meridian, commencing at the southeast corner and running west near eighteen rods to a stake, thence north near eighteen rods to a stake, thence east near eighteen rods to a stake, thence south near eighteen rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres; and that a summons has been issued out of said Court against you, returnable at the May term, A. D. 1883, of said court, to be holden on the twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1883, at the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois.

Now, unless you, the said unknown heirs of Frederick Malehorn, shall personally be and appear before said County Court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof, to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on the twenty-first day of May, 1883, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's petition filed therein, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Decatur, Ill., April 9th, 1883.
GEORGE P. HARDY, Clerk.
D. C. CORLEY, Complainant's Solicitor.
April 9—d4w

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Our Corset Department is, without exception, (as any one can perceive), equal to any establishment of the largest cities, while our Prices are Lower.
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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express	7:00 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express	12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express	10:55 p. m
" 8, Hement Accommodation	7:35 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East	8:45 a. m
Going "	7:15 p. m
Going "	4:35 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line	5:25 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation	7:10 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail	4:00 p. m
" 1, Through Express	7:45 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west	1:00 p. m
Going "	11:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 42, Chicago Express	12:20 a. m
" 46, Through Express	7:10 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail	12:15 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	3:45 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail	3:50 p. m
" 41, Through Express	7:25 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 42, St. Louis Express	4:15 a. m
" 48, Fast Line	5:15 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom.	8:30 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail	4:05 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 43, Chicago Express	12:15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11:55 a. m
" 42, St. Louis and Decatur Accom.	9:15 p. m
" 48, Lightning Express	10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West	6:00 a. m
Arrive from West	6:30 p. m

Champaign Division:

Arrive from East	10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign	20:0 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, Tickets and any particular information, call on

K. HARWOOD, Agent W. St. L. & P. R. R.
C. GAULT, 2d Vice President. H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Louis.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R. R.

On and after Monday, Oct. 29, 1882, trains will arrive and depart as follows:

EAST.

Mail and Express	12:10 p. m
Local Freight arrives	5:20 p. m
" leaves	6:40 a. m

WEST.

Mail and Express	12:25 p. m
Local Freight arrives	6:20 p. m
" leaves	6:00 a. m

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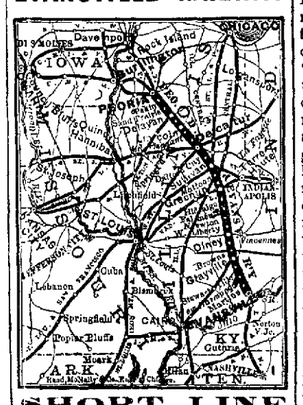

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GOING EAST.

Passenger	9:28 a. m
"	10:40 p. m
Freight	2:35 p. m
Through Freight	3:40 a. m

GOING WEST.

Passenger	6:55 a. m
"	3:40 p. m
Freight	10:45 a. m
Through Freight	6:00 p. m

For maps, bills, time, rates and other information, call on or address

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CONDENSED TIME CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

Mail and Express No. 22	12:15 p. m
Night Express No. 24	10:00 p. m
Way Freight No. 20	6:00 a. m
Mixed and Stock Train No. 30	5:50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 21	3:00 p. m
Night Express No. 23	4:30 a. m
Way Freight No. 25	7:30 p. m
Through Freight and Mixed Train No. 20	8:15 a. m

I. H. WILSON, Superintendent.
C. E. HENDERSON, Gen'l Man.
Decatur, Ill., April 26, 1882.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Sept. 3, 1882.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	6:00 a. m
Accommodation	3:40 p. m
Freight	4:20 p. m

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10:10 a. m
Passenger	5:30 p. m
Freight	9:50 p. m

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The Daily Republican.

THE result of the election in Rhode Island is unusually significant, because of the circumstances under which the fight was made. The combination in favor of Sprague was made on the theory that dissatisfied Republicans, as well as Democrats, would rally to his support. General Butler and other instigators of explosive departures in politics were called in to give the nomination of Sprague the character of an insurrectionary movement in the Republican party of the reliable little state. The returns show that the Republican vote was increased by 3,042 over last year, and that Bourne, the Republican candidate for Governor, had a clear majority over all of 2,140. This nips in the bud Ben Butler's little scheme for a Butler movement, and it shows that the Republicans of Rhode Island are in good condition for the fight in 1884.

Winding Up the Clock.

When the Weary Wheels were Almost Still, a Lucky Accident Reveals the Lost Key.

"How long did you say you had it?"

"Twenty-five years."

"What! a bad cough, with occasional attacks of hemorrhage, for twenty-five years? Why, man, it's a mercy that there's a dozen pounds left of you."

Abraham Orner, of Highspire, Dauphin County, Pa., stuck to his statement, and when the exclamations of wonder ceased, he added:

"Exactly. You're right. It is a mercy. But the greatest mercy of all is that, before I actually coughed myself out of existence, I got hold of PARKER'S GINGER TONIC, and a few bottles of it cured me."

Cured you! Relieved you, you mean?"

"I mean what I say; it cured me," said Mr. Orner, simply. "I feel like another man."

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Why Judge Black Uses the Weed.

Washington Correspondent New York World.

Not long ago Judge Black met a gentleman who pathetically related his endeavors to break himself of tobacco chewing, as it met with the unqualified condemnation of all civilized people. "You'll find it a hard case—a hard case, my friend, replied the Judge, with a solemn wink. "I tried to break myself of it once; didn't I ever tell you? Well, it was when I was Attorney General, and I said to myself, 'Jeremiah Black, we've got to stop this thing.' So I made up my mind, and one morning I started down to my office without a scrap of tobacco. I began the day badly, and it got worse by degrees. I never felt so much like a savage in my life. I dismissed two clerks, bounced a messenger, made a fool of myself three or four times, snapped at everybody, and started home feeling myself to be a total failure and all creation a mistake. On the way I met a man whom I respected very much. He was a religious man. I told him my experience with leaving off tobacco and asked his advice. 'Judge,' he said, 'my experience is the same as yours. I tried to leave off, too. I quarreled with several members of the church I belonged to, thought the minister was a fool, got tired of my wife, and if I had kept it up I should have been a moral monster—and I determined to circumvent the old enemy by taking up my cherished vice, and so," continued the Judge, cheerfully, "I saw that tobacco-chewing was conducive to virtue, and (cutting a quid) I propose to keep it up until I leave it off."

Seek No Further.

It is said an old philosopher sought an honest man with a lighted lantern, and humanity has since been seeking an honest medicine by the light of knowledge. It has at length found it in Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all diseases of the blood, removes pimples, and acts promptly upon the liver and urinary organs. Only 50 cents a bottle, to be had at Dr. A. J. Stoner's. 3

MR. A. L. BROCKWAY will give his attention to paper hanging and decorating, and will guarantee satisfaction. Leave orders with Linn & Scruggs, dealers in wall paper, carpetings, upholstery, etc. March 29—d&wtf

New Spring Goods.

Our offerings for the spring season 1883 comprise the choicest styles of foreign and domestic woolens, which will be made to order in the latest styles and perfect fit guaranteed to everybody; your patronage is solicited. Respectfully,

FLEURY, the French Cutter.
m'h7-d&wtf

ELEGANCE of design, perfection of fit, excellence of finish, have established the highest reputation for our goods and consequent success to our customers. Your examination of our stock is respectfully solicited. FLEURY, the French Cutter. mch7-d&wtf

TILE mills and clay crushers for sale by Leavitt & Royal south side old square, Decatur, Ill. mar7wtf

C. F. Bachman & Bro

If you wish to get value received call on C. F. Bachma & Bro. They keep a full line of Bed Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Book Cases, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Chairs, etc. Also the celebrated Superior Cook Stove, the best in the world; every stove fully guaranteed. Remember the place and give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant, south of the Park. April 7-d&wly

FOR style, workmanship, fit, durability and low prices, our clothing is without a rival. CHEAP CHARLEY.

MT. OLIVE COAL, lump and nut, always on hand at Vennigerholz's coal yard. March 15—dtf

LEAVE orders for cord and stove wood at F. D. Caldwell's, Post Office Block. Dec. 19-dtf

GO to Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

MT. OLIVE COAL, the purest and cleanest in the market, to be had only at Vennigerholz's yard. March 15—dtf

MT. OLIVE COAL takes the lead everywhere. Leave orders at P. Ullrich's grocery store. March 15—dtf

Friendliness.

What a world this would be if everybody were the enemy of every other body! It would be a realized hell. Again, what a world this would be if every one were the friend of every one! It would be heaven upon earth. Who is he that relishes the thought of having personal enemies? Such a one must be more than a stoic. It is natural for us to want friends. How may we get them? Solomon says; "A man that hath friends must show himself friendly." In what manner should we show ourselves friendly in order to get many friends?

1. By not being too precise about formal rules of personal etiquette. There is such a thing as being too precise to be comfortable either for one's self or for others. The spirit of friendliness is sometimes killed by precision; for some people will not speak to others because they have not been honored with a polite introduction. Hence they resolve to be strangers forever for this reason. Now a personal and formal introduction has its proprieties and usages; but he who is determined to stand on the technicalities of a formal introduction in every case will not make much advancement in the act of cultivating a friendly disposition. Should a pastor pursue such a course his influence and usefulness would be greatly crippled.

2. Another way of getting many friends is by manifesting courteous conduct towards all classes of persons. Some persons are very friendly toward some classes of persons—the rich, the fashionable and the cultured. They are very friendly toward Assemblyman A, and Senator B. They lavish their smiles upon the aristocratic and render hearty salutations to the glittering "butterflies of society." But they will not condescend to say "Good morning" to the village blacksmith, or a hod-carrier, or a humble tiller of the soil. Now, it is almost needless to say that such ones would never win their way to the great popular heart of the race. He who would get friends and maintain his grip upon the friendship of the masses must show courteous conduct to all classes, whether rich or poor, educated or uneducated, high or low. He can retain self respect and the dignity of his position and rank and yet be truly friendly toward all classes. He is none the less a man for being friendly to all.

3. True friendship is shown by regularity of conduct toward all classes. Some people are very friendly toward a certain person one day and quite the reverse the next day. They act as though they had never seen that person before. When they meet certain ones in private they are quite sociable: but upon seeing them in public they are as mute as a mummy, though having an opportunity to converse with them. Such people do not show themselves to be very friendly in the true sense of the term; nor will they gather around them a host of friends. They are decidedly too irregular in the manifestations of their friendliness.

4. True friendliness is also shown by something besides words. I would not undervalue the worth of a kind word; for a friendly word, spoken at the right time, in the right place, has frequently accomplished much—much more than the person who uttered it conceived. A kind word has won many a person from the path of vice to the way of virtue. It has cheered hundreds of disconsolate hearts that felt they were forsaken by the merry multitude. But, after all, he who would show himself friendly in the truest fashion and most effective manner must get beyond mere words into the power and passion of living deeds. He must not hesitate to put the hand of ready help to the assistance of those who suffer the need of it. When a person is groaning under the burden of crushing distress a pound of lifting is more than a ton of talk. "A friend in need is a friend indeed." There was a man who in trying to cross a stream with his team and wagon got stuck in the mud. He was a stranger to that place and a distance from any house. Soon a man came along who said he was sorry to see him in such a fix and then went on. Another came along and asked the unfortunate man how old he was and what were the ages of his horses and different members of his family. After satisfying his curiosity and expressing a regret that the man had met with such bad luck, he passed on. Presently a third man came along and taking in the situation at a glance he put his shoulder to the wheel and lifted with all his might, as the horses pulled hard, and soon the difficulty was overcome. That was friendliness which bore its fruit in season, and was sweet to the taste.—*R. C. H. Wetherbee, in Baptist Weekly.*

—The latest *English fashion* is the painting of blue veins on ladies' temples, wrists and arms.

CALL on the new firm, at 37 North Church street, Decatur, Ill., with your country produce, grains, fat cattle, hogs, and sheep, for which we will pay the cash and sell you choice groceries, provisions, baled hay, corn, oats, salt and fresh meats at the lowest market price for cash. E. B. PRATT & CO. Feb. 15—d&w2mo*

TAPISSIER FRERES' GREASE PROOF SILK.

The London *Queen* and London *Weldon's Journal* say:

"This silk gives every satisfaction, both as to richness, durability and price, it being a special make, free from deleterious compositions."

Messrs. Tapissier Freres will replace any length complained of as not fulfilling the advantages claimed. Demand with each purchase the blue ticket guaranteeing wear. For sale by

Mch 14, d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

Just Received.

New and handsome carpetings; also an elegant assortment of embroideries, at LINN & SCRUGGS'. Jan. 20, d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

YOU can get any style shoe made to order by L. McKenzie, at J. W. Baker's. March 15, d&wtf

LEAVE orders for dry stove wood at F. D. Caldwell's, American Express office. Dec. 19-dtf

WHEN convenient, please call at our well arranged and attractive store. You will receive polite attention from as gentlemanly salesmen as are employed by any mercantile establishment in the United States. Will you come? We'd honestly be glad to see you.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

DON'T buy your Spring Outfit until you have seen and priced our clothing. CHEAP CHARLEY.

LEAVITT & ROYAL will not be beaten in prices by any one that sells first-class farm implements. mar7wtf

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Confessions of a Bride—or, The First Week After Marriage.

Well, I've now been a bride for one week, and I must say that I don't find it near as jolly as I expected. Is my husband unkind? No, indeed; I know my husband adores me, and that I ought to be happy; but I ain't. No, you're wrong there. He doesn't snore in his sleep, so it can't be that worrying me. The plain truth is, I was badly taken in. Yes, "sold" is the proper word. I thought he had wealth, but I now find we will have to live close to make both ends meet. How was I sold? Well, it was the shoes he wore that did it. He always wore such elegant shoes that I thought he must have cash or he could not buy such stylish goods. Now I find that those handsome shoes he wore did not cost half as much as I expected. He buys them at J. W. Baker's, 18 East Main street. There he buys handsome, fine shoes, for a good deal less than all the others ask for them. Of course he dont't sell anything without the cash; but that's so much the better, as I never ask anybody for credit anyway. [March 14-d&wtf

Removal.

W. H. Grindol has removed his marble shop to the brick building on the southwest corner of East Main and Franklin streets, where he would be glad to see all those desiring anything in his line. Monuments, head and foot stones and all kinds of marble work, very cheap. March 23—d1w4.

OUR low prices and fair treatment have made our house the most popular clothing and merchant tailoring house in Decatur. See us before you buy. Decatur One-Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of Old Square. m'ch7-d&wtf.

Go to your druggist for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price 15 cents. May 23, 1882-d&wtf

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's. Dec. 18—d&wtf

AN excellent example of the material improvement in the manufacture of flour is to be found in the product turned out by Priest & Co. Try it. Mar. 22-d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

CHILDREN'S wear a specialty, at Fleury, the French Cutter's, corner of Old Square. A complete stock, from the cheapest to the very finest, at extremely low prices, will always be found on our counters. Please come and see. m'ch7-d&wtf

The New Nickel.

Fleury, the French cutter, has secured a quantity of the so-called much-looked-for new nickels, and will present every purchaser of goods to the amount of one dollar or over with one specimen. In Chicago they pay as high as 25 cents a piece for them. Call early, as the quantity is limited. 20dtf

LINN & SCRUGGS have now in stock a large and elegant assortment of Carpetings, Wall Paper, Lace Curtains and window materials of every description. Our facilities for acquiring the most choice goods, at the lowest prices, are not excelled by any house in the United States. We sell more goods than any other house in the United States according to population, and with less expense according to amount of sales. Purchasers had better note this fact before making their purchases. feb14-d&wtf

Always on Time.

Mrs. K. Einstein is now receiving the first new styles for spring, consisting of all the novelties. Among them the Jersey Lily, Rival, Warwick, Daisy, Tulip, Fishwife, Poke, The Lily, and other styles too numerous to mention. Please call and see our new goods. No. 28 East Main street. Feb. 27-dtf

Virtue Acknowledged.

Mrs. Ira Mulholland, Albany, N. Y., writes: "For several years I have suffered from oft-recurring bilious headaches, dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex. Since using your BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS I am entirely relieved." Price $1.00; trial size 10 cents. 4

CUSHING & WELD, 26 East Main street, will store heating stoves for the summer at reasonable rates. mar15dtf

SPRING and summer clothing now on exhibition at CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

FURST & BRADLEY plows, cultivators, rakes &c., for sale by Leavitt & Royal, Decatur, Ill. mar7wtf

MRS. MARIE SARSON, 168 W. Indiana avenue, Chicago, says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters in dyspepsia; it is the best remedy I ever tried." 6

New Life

is given by using BROWN'S IRON BITTERS. In the Winter it strengthens and warms the system; in the Spring it enriches the blood and conquers disease; in the Summer it gives tone to the nerves and digestive organs; in the Fall it enables the system to stand the shock of sudden changes.

In no way can disease be so surely prevented as by keeping the system in perfect condition. BROWN'S IRON BITTERS ensures perfect health through the changing seasons, it disarms the danger from impure water and miasmatic air, and it prevents Consumption, Kidney and Liver Disease, &c.

H. S. Berlin, Esq., of the well-known firm of H. S. Berlin & Co., Attorneys, Le Droit Building, Washington, D. C., writes, Dec. 5th, 1881:

Gentlemen: I take pleasure in stating that I have used *Brown's Iron Bitters* for malaria and nervous troubles, caused by overwork, with excellent results.

Beware of imitations. Ask for BROWN'S IRON BITTERS, and *insist* on having it. Don't be imposed on with something recommended as "*just as good.*" The genuine is made only by the Brown Chemical Co, Baltimore, Md.

SPRING OF 1883.

FRIENDS CREEK

NURSERY!

We offer for the coming Spring an assortment of Apple, Crab, Pear, Plumb, Cherry, Peach, Apricot, Mulberry, Persimmon, Pecan and Quince Trees: Currant, Gooseberry, Raspberry, Strawberry, Grapevines, and the never-failing Snider Blackberry, so well adapted for this climate; Evergreens two and three times transplanted; 2,000 Norway Spruce two to four feet; 500 four to seven feet; 1,000 Austrian and Scotch Pine 3 to 10 feet; 1,000 Arbor Vitæ 2 to 4 feet; 200 4 to 6 feet; choice lot of Red Cedar, Irish and Prostrate Juniper, with other Ornamental Trees and Shrubs; 1,000 Soft and Ash Leaf Maple, 16 to 20 feet, heavy, for street or shade; Elm, White Birch and Kentucky Coffee, 12 to 16 feet; 100 Catalpas, heavy, many of blooming size, with smaller trees of Black Walnut, Ash, Sugar Maple, and all the above named; 2,000 Gold Band, White and other Lilies, flowering size, many in 6-inch pots, which almost ensures blooming the first season; 2,000 Gladiolus—white, light and striped—with a named assortment of all the choicest kinds; Double Dahlias, Herbaceous, Peonies, and other Flowering Roots, Bulbs, Roses, etc., for spring planting. Also a large stock of *Hedge Plants.*

I have rented the lot east of Linn & Scruggs' dry goods store, where I will have an assortment of the above goods as soon as the planting season opens. Will be there every Wednesday and Saturday to sell and take orders.

Send for Price List. S. BONEHAM,
Feb. 7—d&w3mo ORLEANS, ILL.

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court of said county to the May Term, A. D. 1883.

John A. Brown vs. John W. Martin and Samuel M. Brewer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the said John W. Martin and Samuel M. Brewer that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county dated the 27th day of February, A. D. 1883, at the suit of the said John A. Brown against the estate of the said Samuel M. Brewer for the sum of $73.68 and interest thereon, from the 27th day of February, 1883, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, directed to the sheriff of said county, and said cause is now pending before said court. Now, therefore, unless you, the said John W. Martin and Samuel M. Brewer, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1883, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against the said defendants and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

March 30, 1883—d3w E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A beneficial dressing preferred to similar articles because of its purity and rich perfume. It Restores to Gray Hair the Youthful Color & prevents dandruff and falling of the hair. 50c. & $1 at Druggists & Co., N.Y.

FLORESTON COLOGNE

Excels the finest flower extracts in richness. Delicate, very lasting. No odor like it. Be sure you get FLORESTON Cologne, signature of Hiscox & Co., N. Y., on every label. 25 and 75 cts., at druggists and dealers in perfumes.

Feb. 20—det&t wly

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

TRADE MARK The GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY. TRADE MARK

An unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all Diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse, as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

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☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

☞ The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent free by mail on the receipt of the money, by addressing

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

On account of counterfeits, we have adopted the Yellow Wrapper; the only genuine. Sold in Decatur by Henry Smith. [may23d&wly

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the THIRD TUESDAY OF APRIL, 1883, (it being the 17th day of April), for the purpose of electing

A MAYOR,
A CITY CLERK,
A CITY TREASURER,
A CITY ATTORNEY,
And ONE ALDERMAN from each ward in the city.

The following named persons have been selected to act as judges of said election:

First Ward—David L. Hughes, J. Q. A. Odor and M. B. Thomas.
Second Ward—M. Glore, Wm. J. Usrey and Benj. Dill.
Third Ward—M. Troutman, I. Baldwin and J. H. Manzy.
Fourth Ward—P. Kuny, B. McGorray and J. L. Penke.
Fifth Ward—J. P. Jones, E. Chadfelter and H. B. Matheny.

Said election to be held at—
Neptune hose house, in the 1st ward;
Council rooms, in the 2d ward;
Resche hose house, in the 3rd ward.
County clerk's office, in the 4th ward;
Eldorado hose house, in the 5th ward;
By order of the City Council.

GEO. P. HARDY, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., March 16, 1883.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1883

Theodore S. Fitch vs. Anna Fitch—Divorce.

NOTICE is hereby given the said defendant that the above-named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the Second Monday in May, A. D. 1883, as is by law required, which suit is now pending in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Complainant.
April 4, 1883—d4w*

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1883.

Josephine Jenkinson vs. John M. Jenkinson.—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendant, John M. Jenkinson, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court, notice is hereby given to the said John M. Jenkinson that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the said John M. Jenkinson, the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Court, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1883, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.
JAS. E. DOWLING, Solicitor for Complainant.
April 4, 1883—d4w*

Decatur School of Elocution.

MISS LENA HENKLE,

Successor to Mrs. M. L. Cain, has organized her Classes in Elocution and Dramatic Reading, in the EAST ROOMS NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE OLD SQUARE. Calisthenics, Physical and Vocal Gymnastics Classes meet every afternoon in the week (Fridays excepted) from two to five P. M. Business hours, Mondays and Saturdays from 9 to 12 A. M.

For terms, etc., address
Oct. 4—d6m MISS LENA HENKLE, Decatur, Illinois.

OLE JOHNSON,

Proprietor of the

BOARDING HOUSE!

Saloon, Grocery Store and GREEN HOUSE,

Corner Jasper and East Eldorado Streets, Decatur, Illinois.

Green House Plants, Cut Flowers

Bouquets, &c., furnished at all times. March 5 d2mo

L. P. GRAHAM, Solicitor of Patents, Decatur, Illinois. Office over "Cheap Charley's." No model required; only $20 expense in case of failure. [maylwly

Attention, Ladies

MRS. K. EINSTEIN

Is now ready to show the Handsomest Line of Millinery Goods ever brought to Decatur, consisting of all the Latest Novelties in

HATS, BONNETS

Flowers, Feathers,

Ostrich Pon Pons, Laces, Ribbons, Silks, Satins and Velvets for Trimmings.

We have also added a full line of Ladies' and Children's

MUSLIN GAUZE UNDERWEAR,

Also a full line of

Children's Cloaks, Infant Robes, Short Dresses and Aprons.

In addition to this we have just received a full line of

Beldings, Knitting, Embroidery and Filling Silks, in all shades.

Please give us a call and examine our goods and prices.

MRS. K. EINSTEIN,
28 East Main St.
March 19—d&wtf

CALDWELL'S

TURNOUTS of Every Description

AND BEST CLASS.

Gentle Horses for Ladies.

Telephone in the office.

CALDWELL BROS.

April 14, 1882-dtf

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IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

To the May Term, A. D. 1883, of the Circuit Court.

The Savings Fund, Building and Loan Association, of Decatur, Illinois, complainants, vs. Anna Levi, Josephine Lynch, Jane White, George Stare, Thomas E. Bond, John Stare, William C. Johns, Joseph Allerdice, H. C. Johns, Anthony Maroney and Kate Maroney, defendants.—Foreclosure.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Anna Levi, Josephine Lynch, Jane White, Thomas E. Bond and Joseph Allerdice having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of said county of Macon, notice is hereby given to each of the last named parties that the above named complainant has filed its bill of complaint in foreclosure in said court on the chancery side thereof, that the parties mentioned in the caption hereto are the parties to the suit, that a summons issued out of said court to the above-named defendants, returnable on the first day of the May Term, A. D. 1883, of the Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, to be holden at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1883, as is by law required. Said suit is now pending and undetermined.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.
March 31, 1883—dtd

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one special execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Sarah A. Purdy and against Lavinia L. Finch, I will proceed to sell the following described property, to-wit: The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section nine (9), township sixteen (16), north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M. Taken as property of the said Lavinia L. Finch, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1883, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 22nd day of March, A. D. 1883.

WM. W. FOSTER,
March 22—d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

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HAND-MADE

Buggy Harness.

I use none but the best material, and employ only the best workmen. I use no patent Hame Tugs. I make them from the VERY BEST LEATHER. Have also the best Whips to be had in the market.

J. W. TYLER,

South Side City Park.

May 15—d&wtf

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MICROSCOPES, TELESCOPES, SCHOOL GLOBES, &c.

Inventor's Models and all sorts of light machinery promptly furnished to order. Send for price list.

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102 E. Eldorado St., Decatur, Il
Aug. 21-d&wtf

BURGLARS!

E. L. SHATTUCK, Agent for Decatur and vicinity, for the sale of the Detroit and Cincinnati Safe and Lock Co.'s Safes, will sell you a new or second-hand safe, take your old safe in exchange, etc., and give you as good bargains as any one in the business. Dec. 14—dtf

PALACE HOTEL,

N. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Main St., corner of Wood, Decatur, Ill. $2.00 per day. Livery stable in connection with house. Carriages furnished at all hours. Feb. 9, 1881—d&wy

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JOHN A. BROWN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
And MASTER IN CHANCERY for Macon county Illinois. Office over Linn & Scruggs' dry goods store. Entrance from court house stairway.

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Special attention given to the diseases of women and children. Office No. 19 Waterstreet Residence No. 34 West Main St., Decatur, Ill.

B. I. STERRETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office with C. H. Fuller, over the Postoffice, Decatur, Illinois.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office over Walters & Tyler's drug store Decatur, Illinois.

D. C. CORLEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
AND NOTARY PUBLIC.
Office over Keefer's Hat Store, East Main st. Decatur, Illinois. Will give strict attention to business. apr25-d&wtf

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